

PRISONER ACCUSED OF BURYING INFANT ALIVE

SUIT FILED AGAINST BOARD

Disappointed Bidder Charges
Directors With Unfair
Treatment

Declares That Favoritism Was
Shown in Rejection of
Lowest Bid

An action was filed in the Superior Court this morning to prevent the Board of Education from entering into a contract with C. F. Weber & Co. for supplying nearly \$3000 worth of school desks to be used during the next fiscal year in Oakland. The suit is brought by George A. Waterbury against the members of the board individually and collectively and it is asked that they be brought into court to show cause why they should not be enjoined from completing the purchase on the Weber Company bid.

Charge of Favoritism

Waterbury represents the A. H. Andrews Company of Chicago and it is claimed in his complaint that instead of accepting the lowest bid offered, the board accepted a much higher one at the meeting held on May 16. At that time there were four bona fide bids submitted, according to Waterbury, who is sales manager for the Andrews Company with which H. S. Fairchild is also connected in the San Francisco branch. At the meeting of the board Fairchild protested the bid and charged that favoritism had been shown by the members in accepting the bid of the C. F. Weber Co. Bid Withdrawn

One bid was later withdrawn, leaving three bids, two of which are set forth by Waterbury in his complaint to be as follows: Bids on desks, number 68, Weber Company, \$1290; Andrews Company, \$1125. Bid on No. 68 1/2 desk, Weber Company, \$830; Andrews Company, \$710. Bid on No. 69 desk, Weber Company, \$710.

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WIPES OUT ALL GRAFT CASES

Judge Dunne Dismisses Indictments Against Ruef and Other Defendants

Famous Prosecution of Alleged
Boodlers Ends After
Five Years

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Disregarding altogether the mandate of the district court of appeals compelling him to strike from the calendar the 80 indictments against Abraham Ruef, Superior Judge Dunne acceded this morning to the request contained in the original motion of the District Attorney made on February 27, and dismissed the true bills against all of the graft defendants on his calendar.

This action wipes out the last vestige of the so-called prosecution. The indictments quashed were against the following, besides Abraham Ruef: Theodore V. Halsay, former outside man of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company; Eugene E. Schmitz, former Mayor of San Francisco; R. Porter Ashe, local attorney of Los Angeles; R. W. Coffroth and Edward Graney, tight promoters; and Jeremiah F. Dinan, ex-chief of police and at present detective sergeant in the local department.

On Monday of this week the district court of appeals, in a unanimous decision, ordered the dismissal of 79 indictments and one information against Abraham Ruef. The grounds given were that the former boss had never been brought to trial on the accusations and had never been arraigned on the major.

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Fifteen Down When Boats Collide in Fog

Steamship Returns With Tale of
Disaster Twelve Miles From
Liverpool.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 18.—A wireless message received here from the steamship A. W. Perry indicates that the schooner with which the steamer was in collision Thursday went down with the loss of all on board, probably about 15 men.

After the collision, which occurred not more than 12 miles from the harbor of Liverpool, N. S., in so dense a fog that the officers of the Perry could not make out what vessel they had struck, two of the Perry's boats were sent out to search. The second boat returned last night, after cruising about for more than a day, and reported that the only trace of the missing ship seen was a fragment of the boom. Officers of the Perry agree that the schooner was struck a blow which probably sank her at once.

CONDEMNED MINISTER RAVES

C. T. V. Richeson, Awaiting
Electrocution for Murder of
Girl, Suffers Collapse

Beseches Counsel to Have
Body Interred Beside Grave
of His Mother

BOSTON, May 18.—A deep sleep, under the influence of opiates, shut out a world of anguish from the troubled mind of Clarence V. T. Richeson during the early hours of today. The fortitude of the former clergyman, who awaits death by electrocution next week for the murder of Avis Linnell, gave way last night. The collapse came while the condemned man was alternately beseeching his counsel to have his body interred beside that of his mother in Virginia and hysterically raving over the fancied persecution of the two guards forming his death watch.

Richeson learned definitely for the first time yesterday that he must die by electrocution. Through the day he bore himself with outward calmness. Little by little the import of the decision he had heard began to impress itself upon him.

GIVES WAY TO EMOTIONS.
Some of those who entered the death chamber imparted to the prisoner the fact that his father did not care to have his body taken to Virginia for burial. Richeson at once gave way to his emotions and implored of his counsel, William A. Morse, that arrangements be made so that he might lie beside his mother in the family plot. As the day wore on other incidents occurred to disturb the condemned man.

The discussion between Richeson, his counsel and spiritual advisers turned upon the execution, and the prisoner begged both Prison Chaplain Stebbins and the Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, his chosen adviser, to walk to the chair with him.

Richeson also expressed a wish that Morse should be present during the last few minutes, and further exacted a promise that either one or the other of the ministers would remain constantly with him until he died.

MOANS AND SHRIEKS.
In the meantime Richeson did not eat his dinner or supper. It was nearly 12 hours after he learned that he must die next week that Richeson burst out in a paroxysm of grief and hysteria. He threw himself on his cot and shrieked.

His arms and shoulders twitched, his face was pale and his eyes were staring.

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SEEKING TO REGAIN THRONE MANUEL IS VISITOR IN SPAIN



MANUEL, DEPOSED KING OF PORTUGAL, WHO IS BELIEVED TO BE PLOTTING TO REGAIN HIS THRONE.

Royalists Plot to Overthrow the Republic of Portugal; Arms Shipped

LISBON, May 18.—The Diarios Noticias today prints a dispatch from Valencio de Mello, Portugal, stating that ex-King Manuel of Portugal, recently stopped at a house of a friend at Pinetevada, Spain, had afterwards went to St. Jean de Luz, Spain, where he met his adherents.

Manuel's presence in Spain is believed here to be in connection with the royalist plot to overthrow the new republic. Preparations, it is understood, are being made by the government to meet any emergency.

It is an open secret that the royalists have been shipping arms to the Portuguese border in Spain, that government being in secret if not in open sympathy with the royalist movement. Thousands of Portuguese loyal to the former

monarch have been drilling and the government officials of Portugal are preparing for what they believe to be an inevitable conflict.

Money to finance the coming struggle between the republic and the royalists has been raised by the royalists from many sources. Prince Miguel, duke of Braganza, who is also seeking the throne, is making an almost superhuman effort to finance a war against the republic. It is understood here that he has entered into an agreement with Manuel that the first to get the throne will keep it. Should Manuel over the morning by a passing automobile and his wife was given a decree on her cross-bill. A few minutes later a jury found him guilty of diamond theft and fixed his punishment at three years in the penitentiary.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 18.—While Joseph H. Fugh was being tried for diamond stealing in the Criminal Court yesterday afternoon, his divorce case against his wife, Anna, was called in the adjoining room. He could not appear in the divorce court and his wife was given a decree on her cross-bill. A few minutes later a jury found him guilty of diamond theft and fixed his punishment at three years in the penitentiary.

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CHAS. BOMBERG IS ARRESTED ON GIRL'S COMPLAINT

Policemen Begin Search of the
Cellar to Recover Remains of
Babe Said to Have Been
Hidden by the Alleged Slayer

Supposed Crime Disclosed When Mother
of Child Faints While in Drugstore
Purchasing Medicine; Says That She
Was Threatened With Bodily Harm

WAS HOUSEKEEPER FOR ACCUSED

CHARLES BOMBERG, a wealthy resident of San Leandro, is being held in the city prison suspected by the police of having buried alive an infant child of Minnie Silva in the cellar of his home on Lincoln avenue shortly after its birth last Friday night. This afternoon Inspector Thomas Gallagher is searching the premises for the body of the child. Minnie Silva, following an examination at the Receiving Hospital, was removed to her home under the care of physicians. Both she and Bomberg have told the story of the supposed crime to Captain Petersen. The girl was found last evening in an Elmhurst drug store, where she had swooned while attempting to purchase medicine.

GIRL ACCUSES BOMBERG.

Captain Brown of the Melrose police was told of her condition and he immediately notified her relatives. Inspector Gallagher, after working all night on the case, found the grim evidence of the supposed crime and the girl implicated Bomberg. She told that she had worked for him as housekeeper in his home and that he had promised to marry her. Later when she was about to be a mother he put her out and Friday, a week ago, is said to have assisted her in getting rid of the child. He took her to his home and the baby was born there.

The girl-mother says it was alive when born and she did not know what had become of it until later she learned, she said, that Bomberg had done away with the infant. She also said that he had threatened her with bodily harm if she disclosed any of the facts connected with the case and that he took her, on a street car to Elmhurst last night. It was there that she was found nearly dead. After she was removed to her home, Dr. Charles Nelson was called in and he verified the suspicions of the family.

SEARCH BEGUN FOR BODY.

Captain Petersen expects to locate the remains of the infant some time this afternoon, and then it will be determined what charge will be placed against Bomberg.

Warrant for the Arrest Of Principal Mabrey

HAYWARD, May 18.—Joseph E. Lamb has secured a warrant for the arrest of E. N. Mabrey on a charge of assault and battery. Lamb charges that Mabrey, who is principal of the Hayward Grammar School, gave his son, Walter Lamb, a severe beating for some nominal offense committed by the boy. Mabrey will probably be taken into custody this afternoon. Other charges of cruelty against Mabrey are to be instigated by the Board of Education Monday night.

Famous Toreador Out Of Bullring Forever

Bombita Ruptures Achilles Tendon and Will Be Permanently Incapacitated.

MADRID, May 18.—In a bull fight here yesterday, the famous toreador, Bombita, ruptured the Achilles tendon of one of his legs. The injury will permanently incapacitate him. Another toreador of wide repute, Vicente Pastor, was badly gored in the same fight.

Stranded Submarine Pulled From Sand

Tuna Rescued From Perilous Position by Collier and Revenue Cutter.

ATLANTIC CITY, May 18.—The efforts of the collier Lebanon and the revenue cutter Itasca to pull the stranded submarine boat Tuna off the sandbar where she struck on Thursday while running under water from Newport News, Va., to Bridgeport, Conn., were successful today.

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—The anthracite miners' convention today ratified the agreement entered into by a sub-committee of the miners and operators and the miners will go back to work after an idleness of seven weeks.

Wait for Sunday Tribune And Its Many Features

There will be a score or more of features to commend tomorrow's SUNDAY TRIBUNE to the reading public. THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE is famous in the Great West. It has been a leader since it came into existence. Beside careful attention to news, local and telegraph, there will be tomorrow the following:

Suzette's letter, commenting on society and its people; sports written by experts; cable news—three pages of it—from the typewriters of correspondents of the International News Service; Lillian Russell's illustrated color page, giving invaluable beauty hints to those who seek physical wealth; a page, illustrated in colors, depicting the latest of fashion's dictates; two pages of theatrical news to keep you posted on your stage favorites and others; many other literary features, all of them valuable.

These features, with the admirable telegraph news of the International News Service and news gathered by a staff of local reporters and correspondents have been the means of building up THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE UNTIL IT HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NEWSPAPER CIRCULATED IN ALAMEDA COUNTY.

Leaps to Death, Injuring Another in Fearful Fall

NEW YORK, May 18.—Disappointed in his failure to obtain employment here, Henry Klein, a jewelry salesman of Boston, committed suicide last night by leaping

Five Students Burned to Death in College Fire

CROWDER, Okla., May 18.—Five students were burned to death today when fire destroyed the main building of the Creek and Seminole Indian colleges at Rola, Okla.

Is Defendant in Two Courts at Same Time

Missourian Tried for Theft in
One Court; Divorce Suit
in Another.

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Boy Run Over by Auto; Thigh Broken

HAYWARD, May 18.—Harry, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wesener, living just out of town on the Niles road, was run over this morning by a passing automobile and his right thigh broken. The child was taken in the machine to the office of Dr. S. W. Browning and thence to the Hayward sanitarium, where it is hoped he will recover.

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BURKS AND WEIL AGAIN ELECTED

Noah Adair of San Francisco
Chosen President of the
Insurance Agents.

C. Fred Burks and Leo R. Weil, Oakland members of the State association of Local Fire Insurance agents were re-elected officers of the association at the annual election this morning. Burks will occupy the position of State secretary for the coming year, and Weil, treasurer. The election was the closing business matter of the fifth annual convention of the association. The complete list of new officers chosen is as follows:

TO NAME COMMITTEE.
In addition to these officers, the committee of the association will be in the hands of an executive committee, to be chosen by the new president. This committee will choose the meeting place for the next annual convention, which will probably be Sacramento or Napa beginning on the first Friday after the first Monday in May.

At the morning's session, reports of the solutions committees were made. These included a resolution favoring a resident agency requirement, by which each fire insurance company shall have only one representative in a community. This matter was referred to a committee consisting of D. A. Spencer, F. W. LeBlanc, and M. C. Callaghan, who reported favorably on such a requirement, following which it was adopted.

Resolutions were also adopted favoring a State fire prevention agency, following an address yesterday afternoon by J. H. Montgomery of Los Angeles, the subject of education in the means of reducing this percentage. The per capita loss from fire in the United States is \$2.51 per annum, while in Europe this loss is only 33 cents per annum.

DISCUSS REBATES.
The association also undertook the consideration of rebates, which is aimed at non-board companies. This matter will be considered in detail by a committee of three from the association to be appointed by the president.

On the report of a committee consisting of Secretary C. Fred Burks and President Will Stephens, the time of the annual meeting was changed, to meet in future on the first Friday after the first Monday in May.

At the close of the morning session, the members of the association were taken on a special car of the Traction company to Piedmont and through parts of Oakland, where luncheon was served. The remainder of the day was devoted to going over the contents of the park as the guests of the Oakland agents.

Following yesterday afternoon's session, the visitors were banqueted at a local cafe. Press Woodruff of San Francisco entertained the guests during the dinner, after which short discussions of technical points of interest to the agents were made.

Chicago-to-Denver
Hike for This Woman

CHICAGO, May 18.—Mrs. Marie Josephine Banks of this city announced her intention to friends last night of walking to Denver, Colo., for the benefit of her health. Mrs. Banks will start about June 1 and will carry an outfit in a knapsack on her back.

She was advised by her physician to spend as much time as possible outdoors recently, following a long period spent in nursing her husband, who died recently.

Dizziness, vertigo, (blind stagger) salivary compulsion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. FIDR-BINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Price 50c. Sold by Wishart's Drug Store, 1201 Washington St.

DEDICATES SERMON TO LATE MRS. ABRAHAMSON

Rev. M. Friedlander Praises Career of
Oakland Charity Worker

In a memorial sermon dedicated to the late Pauline Abrahamson, as a mother, grandmother and a Jewess. Rev. M. Friedlander touched the hearts of the members of the family of the deceased and the congregation, this morning in the First Hebrew Congregation, Twelfth and Castro streets. His text was selected from the bible: "A Woman That Feareth the Lord Shall Be Praised." Prayers were said for the departed and a special musical program added to the solemnity of the service.

Inspired by the noble example of her life, Dr. Friedlander spoke in part as follows:

"We set aside a sermon as a memorial to that sweet God-fearing soul, Pauline Abrahamson. We thank God for that saintly woman who had lived longer than the ordinary standard of life. We thank God for having spared her the trials and intimacies that beset declining years. For those who had the joy of her acquaintance were charmed by her beautiful manners, the woodwork manner in which she retained her mental faculties, her unflinching health, gentleness and her active desire to help and to delight others into the last, in spite of her advanced age. It was a joy to observe that neither her physical nor her mental eye had been dimmed. A joy to hear her flashes of genial wisdom, to listen to her memories of the past and to note her interest in the present. It was a joy to know her. It was a joy to be the burden of four score years so lightly upon her. The chapter of her life is interesting, as the mother, the grandmother and the Jewess.

REAL JEWISH MOTHER.
"Pauline Abrahamson was possessed of the passion of the Jewish mother. Because of that she was able to nurse, to

protect and to mold her children into noble man and womanhood. Her method of guiding her children caused that wonderful trust that they had in her. She shared with them their sorrows and dances as well as in their sorrows. She firmly led them in the great virtues of Israel. She raised her children to respect and to love her. That was the passion of the Jewish mother.

"In her home she was neat. She had a deep intuitive sense of the fitness of things. Her home life was beautiful and it was an expression of her beautiful nature. She was a woman to all. How many children will bless her memory."

"FOUNTAIN OF GOD"
"She defined philanthropy as the 'Fountain of God.' She had no regard for pity without heart or gentleness of soul. She believed in higher pity. She had moments of seclusion, but her only seclusion was when she communed with her maker in her holy of holies into which children could not enter. They are moments of preparation, not separation—when you, as mothers, need seclusion for preparation for your family. As a mother she was a home-maker. Her home was a sanctuary. She kept the family together by her noble influence. In body she is moved but in spirit she lives.

"What greater blessing could a mother give than that of a beautiful home? What a privilege for children to minister to such a mother. Reflect upon her soul and follow her memory. God bless such a mother. Let her spirit guide you. Let her memory be an inspiration as an evidence of our love and affection. Her spirit will last in the soul. The sweet gentle friend to all and the sainted mother."

HUNDREDS MOURN MRS. A. D. McELROY

Funeral of Oakland Woman Is
Held Today, Hosts of Friends
Attending.

With several hundred mourning friends and relatives filling St. Francis de Sales Church on Twenty-first and Grove streets this morning, the final obsequies over the remains of the late Mrs. Alice Dunne McElroy, wife of James J. McElroy, were said. A solemn high requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father P. J. Keane, administrator of St. Francis de Sales, assisted by Rev. Father William J. Cantwell and Rev. Father Charles Basch. The service was held at 10 o'clock this morning.

Previous to the formal services at the church, the remains were held at the residence of the dead woman, 540 Twenty-first street, where a large number of friends assembled privately in rooms banked with flowers sent by bereaved friends. This service was held at 9:30, after which the procession moved to the church.

There, underneath a pall of lavender sweet peas, pink roses and maidenhair fern, the remains were carried up the aisle of the crowded church to the altar of the funeral march. The service was held at 10 o'clock. The church was filled with the celebrant and assistants, the vocal parts being sung by the quartet of St. Francis de Sales, Mrs. McElroy's death was a sudden one, a short illness only preceding her demise, which occurred on Thursday. In addition to her husband, J. J. McElroy, prominent real estate man and Native Son, the dead woman is survived by Dr. Martin J. Dunne, Dr. John M. Dunne and Dr. William L. Dunne, brothers, and Miss Margaret C. and Miss Mary T. Dunne, sisters.

The pallbearers for the service were Senator John W. Sietson, R. M. Fitzgerald, J. J. McDonald, Dr. John F. Slavich, John Smith, Dr. John M. Kane, Henry Diekmann and Dr. Carl E. Curdiss.

Athletic Assn. Head
Sends in Resignation

WEST POINT, May 18.—Major Palmer E. Pierce, who for several years has been president of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, has sent his resignation to the executive committee. His withdrawal is necessitated by his recent promotion to the rank of major and his assignment to a regiment in China. Major Pierce, who directed of athletics at West Point in 1906, was instrumental in bringing about the organization of many colleges and schools to reform the game of football. Major Pierce was recommended the appointment of Colonel Edwin R. Stuart of West Point to succeed him.

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Get it today in usual liquid form or tablets called Sarsatabs.

FIND BODY OF MURDERED MAN

Victim Found in Vacant House
With Bullet Wound in
Abdomen.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—The body of Isaac Cohen was found in a vacant house at 1338 Steiner street at noon today and investigation so far points to murder. The discovery was made by William Walker, an employee of the Pacific Telephone Company. He entered the house to remove the phone, and in the back parlor lying on the floor in the corner found the body.

An investigation by Chief Deputy Coroner Solly and Detective Sergeant Conlan revealed that the deceased had been shot in the abdomen. The finding of some strands of the hair of a woman on the forehead and clinging to the deceased's clothes, coupled with the discovery of a pair of woman's gloves on the floor of the vacant house, tends to indicate that some woman was responsible for the crime. There are several marks about the head which may have been caused by blows. Joseph Cohen reported to the police several days ago and his father, Isaac Cohen, was missing. The latter was a tailor employed by Joseph Pehelm. The body was identified by Arthur Fohelm as that of Isaac Cohen, and it was learned that he resided at the Hotel Irving and had property valued at about \$40,000. He was in the habit of carrying upwards of \$500 on his person all the time and a \$20 gold piece was all that was found in his pockets.

He was reported missing last Monday and his relatives, fearing foul play, had ordered his bank to pay out no money. The autopsy performed by Dr. Stanford showed that the wound in the abdomen was caused by a bullet. No weapons were found in the house. The police believe Cohen was murdered for his money.

EXTRA THRILLS AT MOOSE CARNIVAL

Two Cowboys Injured in
Riding of Unbroken
Horses.

"Frontier Days" production of the local lodge of Moose at the Grove street grounds provided some extra thrills yesterday afternoon when two of the cowboys offered injuries from their daring ride on two unbroken horses that had never before been saddled. Harry Hovis received a bruised leg when a wild horse carried him through one of the fences, and Heinie Snow was stunned by being kicked by a bronco which had been brought to the grounds to be tamed. The injured cowboys did not give up their work in spite of the accidents. The program was brimful of excitement and at both performances through the day the spectators were kept on edge.

The steer wrestling was eliminated from the "Frontier Days" program on account of the injuries sustained on Thursday by Wolf Verducci, the great Indian steer wrestler. The Indian was gored in the stomach and received other injuries, but he is determined to take another try at subduing the bulls.

School children and the inmates of the various local orphanages were guests of the Moose and manager of the Del Mar Congress of Roughriders at this afternoon's performance, and the "kids" enjoyed the show immensely.

"Frontier Days" will close tomorrow night. There will be two performances today and tomorrow, at 2:30 and 8 o'clock. Moving pictures will be taken from the production tomorrow, including the crowd, and a number of added attractions will be staged. Among the new stunts will be fancy riding by a troupe of Egyptians, who will form pyramids on horseback. The show is without doubt the finest thing of the kind ever seen in Oakland and packed houses are expected today and tomorrow.

**RENDERS IMPORTANT
DECISION IN TAX CASE**

SACRAMENTO, May 18.—The state board of equalization has rendered an important opinion in the matter of the controversy between City Assessor Mallard of Los Angeles and the several public service corporations. All property held by such corporations which was acquired for use in construction work will be "operative" and taxed by cities and counties. And all property used in keeping these corporations in operation will be classed as "operative" and assessable by the state.

ATTORNEYS SEEK COURT PROTECTION

Declare San Diego Vigilantes
Threatened Them With
Punishment.

SAN DIEGO, May 18.—Charging that they were threatened with punishment if they did not immediately sever all connection with Industrial Workers of the World cases in the Superior Courts Fred Moore and Marous Robbins, attorneys for the Industrial Workers, appeared in the Superior Court at noon today and asked that those who uttered the threats, John M. Porter and fifteen others, be cited for contempt and that they, Robbins and Moore, be given protection by the county authorities.

Upon the suggestion of Judges W. R. Guy and W. A. Sloane, the attorneys submitted the matter in the form of affidavits and as the noon hour had passed the judges announced that the citation would be issued when court opened Monday morning. Moore and Robbins say that Porter, who is a wealthy real estate man, and the others are members of the citizens' committee or vigilantes.

The climax was reached this morning, when Moore and Robbins were taken to police headquarters by a detective and questioned regarding alleged caches of guns in this city. After they left the police station they were surrounded by a crowd and it was at this time, they claim, the threats were made. They said they were told that they would get Ben L. Rittman got if they persisted in representing the Industrial Workers.

In addition to this they charged in court that their stenographer W. S. Rawlings had been kidnapped two nights ago and taken to Del Mar.

SIX SERIOUSLY INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Six persons were injured and shortly after 10 o'clock last night when a large passenger automobile in which they were riding collided with a pile of cement in Point Lobos avenue near Eighteenth, and overturning threw the occupants into an open ditch.

Those injured were:

AMY KLEIS, 9 years old, suffering from a broken leg.
DOROTHY KLEIS, 10 years old, badly lacerated about the head and body.
MRS. ROSS KLEIS, their mother, suffering from confusion about the body, and shock.

MRS. JOHN J. BIAGINI, bruises on head and body.
ROSS KLEIS, broken leg and a possible fracture of the left arm.

JOHN J. BIAGINI, lacerations on the head and face.

Ross Klein, who was driving the machine, is engaged in the draying business and lives at 216 Lexington avenue. John J. Biagini is a liquor salesman and resides at 149 Lexington avenue.

EVANGELIST MAY BE SUED FOR SLANDER

MILLVILLE, N. J., May 18.—Having termed one of Millville's theaters "the Hell Hole," in one of his sermons, the Rev. W. P. Nicholson, an evangelist, who is conducting a series of revival services in the First Methodist Episcopal church here, has been notified by the management of the playhouse to make a public retraction, and is threatened with suit for slander unless the demanded retraction is made at once.

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TOM G. GRANT AT HELM OF VULCAN INSURANCE CO.

Prominent Figure in Business World Has
Had Forty Years' Experience

Tom G. Grant, for 40 years a prominent figure in the insurance world, has assumed active charge of the destinies of the Vulcan Insurance Company of Oakland, and the concern will commence underwriting about July 1.

The new president and underwriting manager was christened "Tom," and has been "Tom" Grant to every man, woman and child ever since. His experience in his chosen profession covers a period of 40 years, beginning as a solicitor for the Pacific Insurance Company in San Francisco in 1872. Subsequently Grant rose to the position of general agent and remained in that capacity until the great Chicago fire, when he went to the stricken city, bought up the claims against his company for 50 cents on the dollar, and in his own words, "returned to his home flat broke."

He was not out of the field long, for the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company elected him their general agent, in which position he remained until assuming the management of the North British and Mercantile Company of London.

HALF OF COUNTRY.
The territory under Grant's jurisdiction covered one-half of the United States and kept him busy until 1907, when he resigned to seek rest and diversify. Since then Grant has been traveling in Europe and elsewhere.

**MORPHINE FOUND IN
LUGGAGE OF PEDDLER**

Fred Burch, a peddler from Vallojo, who claims to be a member of the Chinese Free Masons, was arrested by Patrolman Duane at 17th and Clay streets and booked at the city prison on two charges. One charge was that of carrying concealed weapons and the other of misdemeanor for being in illegal possession of narcotics. The man was found to have in his grip eighty-three packages of morphine and a vial of opium. This is the largest seizure of morphine has been made in Oakland. Burch was found to have a revolver concealed in a hip pocket and the two charges were placed against him.

**ACCUSED YOUTH IS
CLEARED OF CHARGE**

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Sidney Franklin, the youth charged with holding up and shooting D. Llapla, a grocer of 1100 Pine street, last month, was dismissed in the police court. Although he had been identified by Llapla, Judge Deasy held that the numerous witnesses who had testified to seeing him on the fire escape of the Southside apartments, 301 Bush street, where he resided, clad in a bath robe could not be mistaken. Franklin was seen in the house by numbers of persons immediately after the shooting. The court emphasized his belief in the young man's innocence.

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SAN JOAQUIN FRUIT OUTLOOK IS GOOD

STOCKTON, May 18.—According to local fruit men, the tree fruit in this county is looking exceptionally well at this time. There promises to be a large crop of very good quality. Grapes have been backward this year, and the fruit men say that they are at least two weeks later than usual. At the present time the vineyards are just beginning to show growth. The crop has set well, but the lack of moisture this year will no doubt cut down the tonnage of both table and wine grapes. In many vineyards thin cut worms have been at work, and their ravages in some vineyards are particularly marked. The last week has been good growing weather for all farm products. Hay is now being cut and is running from one to two and a half tons to the acre.

J. E. McKee, 1301 Cleveland street, Wichita, Kansas, reports that suffering from kidney trouble, had severe pains across his back, and was all played out. He began taking Foley's Kidney Pills and soon there was a decided improvement. Finally the pain left entirely and I am fully cured of all my kidney trouble. Wishart's Drug Store, corner Tenth and Washington streets.

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PULLMAN PLANT TO BE ENLARGED

Assessed Valuation Climbing
on Account of Numerous
Improvements.

RICHMOND, May 18.—The long expected enlargement of the Pullman works in this city will take place this year, according to word received from Chicago. This plant handles all the work of the far west and is now taxed almost beyond its capacity. The additional traffic created by the world's fair promotion will add largely to the demands upon it. The site of the plant is laid off so that the shop can be doubled. Manager F. E. Beck is now beautifying the grounds, planting rose hedges, geranium beds, lawns and cypress trees.

The Standard Oil company is adding materially to its plant and still continues a large force of men on construction work. It also is beautifying the grounds around the office buildings.

The growth of these big manufacturing industries at Richmond has been to no small extent instrumental in causing the assessed valuation to climb \$1,000,000 a year regularly for the past six years. The assessor's office reports that the ratio will be more than maintained this year, and that the \$10,000,000 mark is now passed.

MARTINEZ NOTES

MARTINEZ, May 18.—Don Blundell and Ernest Brown of the University of California will spend the next few months in this county as guests of Attorney A. F. Bray.

A. James of the Standard Oil Co., whose home is at Whiting, Ind., was here Thursday and spent the day as the guest of Deputy Assessor Frank G. King. Rhody Ringrose, administrator of the estate of the late George Lewis, has filed his final account, which closes up the affairs of this estate.

Mrs. Wm. H. Hainlin was the guest of friends Thursday in the bay cities.

Edna McNamara, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. McNamara of Port Costa, who was seriously injured a few weeks ago when she was kicked by a horse and her skull fractured, has been taken to her home. Under the care of Dr. Frank Rattan the child has improved rapidly.

Frank Russell of Pacheco had business here Thursday.

Frank McNamara was at the county seat Thursday from Selby.

Joe Altonza was here Thursday from San Francisco on business.

The graduating class of the Martinez school will hold graduating exercises in the assembly room of the grammar school on May 21.

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LATEST NEWS FROM OUTSIDE TOWNS

TEACHER FACES CRUELTY CHARGE

School Trustee Says Principal
E. N. Mabrey 'Exceeded
His Authority.'

HAYWARD, May 18.—It was stated today by Attorney F. I. Lemos, president of the board of trustees of the Hayward grammar school, that Principal E. N. Mabrey, who is accused by citizens of having unmercifully whipped Walter Lamb last Monday for a nominal offense, greatly exceeded his authority.

Lemos said that a complaint had been made against Mabrey some time ago for his alleged cruel treatment of a child, but that the matter had been settled without much difficulty.

Formal complaints have been filed by Joe Lamb, Walter's brother, and Herman Walker, all of whom charge Mabrey with brutal treatment of young boys and girls.

RECEIVES DAMAGES TO AMOUNT OF \$15,000

MARTINEZ, May 18.—Damages amounting to \$15,000 were awarded to Michael Heneby by a jury in the Superior court yesterday. The Santa Fe company being ordered to pay that amount for injuries received by Heneby while in its employ. The accident happened some months ago when Heneby was run down by a switch engine in the company yards, where the man worked. Heneby, who sued for \$25,000, declared no warning bells were sounded.

TO MOTOR ALONG COAST TO CANADA

PIEDMONT, May 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Uhl of Hillsdale avenue, accompanied by their daughters, Miss Eleanor and Constantine, will start on a motor camping trip on Monday. They have planned to visit the principal resorts in northern California, Oregon and Washington, going as far north as Canada, and will be away from eight to ten weeks.

RICHMOND PERSONALS

RICHMOND, May 18.—O. J. Barnett, under arrest here for the alleged passing of a bad check on an Oakland bank, claims that on his hearing he will prove that there were funds in the bank back of the check. Barnett was president of a pump manufacturing concern, which sought to make a stock-selling campaign in this city. The hearing of the case has been set for early next week.

The annual picnic of the Amateur country society of the bay cities is being held today at East Shore park and a large delegation of former residents of that county are attending.

Two young boys beating their way on a Southern Pacific freight train were taken in by the local police last night, after a lively chase through the railroad yards. They gave their names as Solon Luzzader and Matthew Mason, both aged 17. They claim Oakland as their home.

Mrs. Joseph Kvlat, wife of a local junk dealer, who was arrested about a month ago for stealing chickens and fined \$20, was again placed under arrest last evening upon request of the Melrose police, who charged her with last night, charging her with a like offense at that town.

Some forty or more old friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gramer met last night and enjoyed a body upon the couple's home. Games, music and refreshments were enjoyed.

The little son of August Dutra was badly bitten yesterday by a dog, which was run down by the police and shot.

Forty members of the Episcopal church met at the home of Mrs. M. Perault last night in a card party and luncheon for the benefit of the church fund.

THROUGH SLEEPER TO LAKE TAHOE

Commencing May 15 and continuing through the summer vacation season the Southern Pacific will operate through Pullman sleeper service to Lake Tahoe. Sleeper will be attached to train No. 6, which leaves the Sixteenth street depot daily at 7:15 p. m., arriving at Truckee the next morning and making close connections for all points on the lake.

NATIVE SONS TO INITIATE CLASS

Contra Costa Parlor Will Be
the Hosts to Many
Delegates.

ANTIOCH, May 18.—The Contra Costa parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West will hold a large class initiation tonight, when delegates from throughout the county will be present. A special train will leave Richmond at 7 o'clock tonight, making stops at Crockett, Martinez, Bay Point and Pittsburg to convey the visitors to this city. Members of the San Ramon Valley and Concord parlors will take electric trains on the Oakland and Antioch railroad to Bay Point.

The class initiation will be followed by an elaborate banquet and a program of musical and literary numbers. The Martinez and will accompany the delegation from the county seat.

It is expected that the affair will be one of the most important held in the county with an attendance that will break all records. The degree work will be completed by special train composed of the officers of the different parlors. Grand President Charles M. Belsaw of Antioch heads the committee of arrangements.

RACING PLANNED AT PLEASANTON

First Meet of Coast Grand
Circuit to Be Held in
July.

PLEASANTON, May 18.—The first meet of the Pacific Coast Grand Circuit of horse racing will be held at Pleasanton, Cal., on Sunday, June 17, today by Mr. McKenzie, the noted racing man, who made this possible by offering to hang up purses totaling \$7000. The Pleasanton chamber of commerce co-operated with McKenzie, guaranteeing to raise from \$2000 to \$3000, the aim being to bring the total up to \$10,000. Horses from every part of the west will be entered in the harness races.

Four days of racing will be held, from July 24 to 27. Entries will close June 17 and all races will be under the rules of the National Trotting Association. Races will be one mile heats with not more than three heats, three of five to win. Following is a list of events for each day:

Wednesday:
Three-year-olds, trotting, \$750.
2:20 class, pacing, \$1000.
2:15 class, trotting, \$1000.
Thursday:
Two-year-olds, trotting, \$400.
2:11 class, pacing, \$1000.
2:35 class, trotting, \$1000.
Friday:
Three-year-olds, pacing, \$750.
2:12 class, trotting, \$1500.
2:30 class, pacing, \$700.
Saturday:
2:20 class, trotting, \$1000.
2:10 class, pacing, \$1500.
2:14 class, pacing, \$1000.
Two-year-olds, pacing, \$400.

BUSINESS ASSOCIATION AT RICHMOND ACTIVE

RICHMOND, May 18.—As a result of the banquet and formation of a business men's association here Thursday night, good effects are already being made manifest in the promotion of the boost spirit among the merchants, who are holding a rule session to attend board of trade and similar organization meetings. Their new association is not actually for mutual benefit, but is a cantile line, but is revolving itself into a boost body as well. The committees are busy setting every possible business man in the city down on the membership roster. The newly elected officers are:

S. B. Kurtz, president; W. S. McCrackin, Jr., vice-president; W. J. Beeson, vice-president; W. A. LaSalle, secretary-treasurer; Louis Schrader, A. A. Winfree, W. Kingest, E. E. Marshall, J. P. Philpott, directors.

PIEDMONT NOTES

PIEDMONT, May 18.—Colvin Reed of Oakland avenue has gone to New York on a short business trip. Reed will spend the time with her sister in Colusa. On their return they will occupy the Kercher house on Pacific avenue.

Rev. Melville Tenney of Bonita avenue has gone to Redlands for a couple of weeks.

Among those who went from here to attend the Y. W. C. A. conference at Mrs. Hearst's home at Pleasanton were Mrs. J. B. Richardson, Mrs. Melville Tenney and Rev. Charles F. Felt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton L. Walker of Highland avenue and her sister, Mrs. George Harrison of Minneapolis have returned from their motor trip to San Diego.

Vernon Waldron has gone to Los Angeles on a short business trip.

Traylor Bell of Oakland avenue has gone to Mount Hamilton on a fishing trip. Mrs. Traylor Bell and her son, Clifford, will be in the city for several days, where they will remain some weeks.

VALLEJO NOTES

VALLEJO, May 18.—Two trees were planted at the Vallejo high school grounds yesterday by the local parlor of Native Daughters of the Golden State. The tree was planted in honor of Luther Burbank, the plant wizard, and the other in memory of the pioneers of the state of California.

Athletes have been taboos at the Vallejo high school by Principal Carl Nielsen so that the boys and girls can spend the next three weeks preparing for their final examinations. As a result of the order the boys will not participate in the field meet which is to be held at Napa today.

O. Hilton of Vallejo was among those who received the degree of bachelor of law at the University of California. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wolfe, whose son, William Wolfe, also graduated, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hilton of this city were in attendance at the commencement exercises.

Straussmeyer Council Y. M. I. of San Francisco has planned to picnic at Glen Cove tomorrow and a large party of excursionists will come up from the bay cities to participate in the day's outing. An invitation has been extended to Vallejo and the next day to join the excursionists, and a large number of the local branch of the order will accept.

Barbed wire cuts, ragged wounds, collar and harness galls, head up quickly when BAILLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is applied. It is the best healing and anti-septic. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Wether's Drug Store, 1001 Washington St.

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Queen of San Leandro Carnival
to Be Crowned Night
of Dance.

SAN LEANDRO, May 18.—It was announced by Rud Eber, chairman of the Golden State committee for the cherry carnival to be held in June, that more than \$2000 was in sight for carrying on preparation for the fiesta. The statement was made at a meeting of the general committee in the city hall last night.

A portion of the money is to be used in converting Estudillo avenue, the site for the carnival, into a fairland of lights and colors. Huge arches will be erected across the thoroughfare at various points and on other streets, it being planned to turn the entire town into a scene of gaiety, though the center of attraction will be on the avenue.

Invitations will be issued to all the fraternal organizations about the bay region to participate in the festivities and to have floats in the grand parade, which will open the three-day festival. Handsome prizes will be awarded to the societies making the best showing.

What is expected to prove a feature of the carnival will be the gorgeous representation of the old English courts in "un square." A queen will be selected during the coming week by the members of the executive committee, who will be crowned with full royal honors, and who will reign supreme at the fair.

The following committee will complete arrangements for the grand ball on the opening night, when the queen will be crowned: Henry Berman, Joseph Horst, William Smiley, William Gorman and Henry Larsen. The fiesta will open June 6 and close June 8.

STEGE-PULLMAN PEOPLE HOLD BIG MEETING

STEGE, May 18.—A mass meeting of the Citizens' Progressive league of this place and Pullman was held last evening which was one of the best and most enthusiastic yet held to discuss the matter of annexation to the United States. Interest is now being manifested in the project throughout the territory affected and the league went on record last night as being squarely against any incorporation and in favor of annexation.

Many local speakers expressed their views and a number of prominent men and women were present from Richmond to enliven the occasion.

NAVY YARD NOTES

MARE ISLAND, May 18.—The collier Nero will be like Noah's ark when she leaves Mare Island Monday for the far north with Mare Island's wireless experts and mechanics, who are on their way to Alaska to enlarge the different United States wireless plants in the north. Lieutenant E. H. Dodd, U. S. N., who is in charge of the party, has purchased 10 pigs, 22 sheep, 200 chickens and 100 turkeys for the trip so that his men will have something to eat when they get to the coast.

The big cruiser Maryland was placed in dock No. 2 yesterday for repairs to the hull damaged by torpedoes during the recent practice in San Pedro harbor. The ship will be in dock ten days.

Chief Gunner J. C. O'Meara, attached to the cruiser Denver, recently tried by a court-martial board for intoxication and absence without leave, will be allowed to leave the service, according to the report from Washington, received here.

O'Meara was one of the few chief gunners who came up from the ranks, his appointment having arrived at Mare Island while he was under trial.

The Annapolis is expected to sail for San Diego today.

That the removal of Commission rock will necessitate much more work than has previously been estimated, costing between \$250,000 and \$500,000 is the report made to the navy department by the yard officials who have been figuring on the work. It is said that the work will not be authorized for some time to come.

Members of the cruiser Maryland football team will give a banquet to Charles Goshen, former coach, at the St. Francis hotel in San Francisco this evening. The Maryland eleven won the championship of the Pacific fleet last season.

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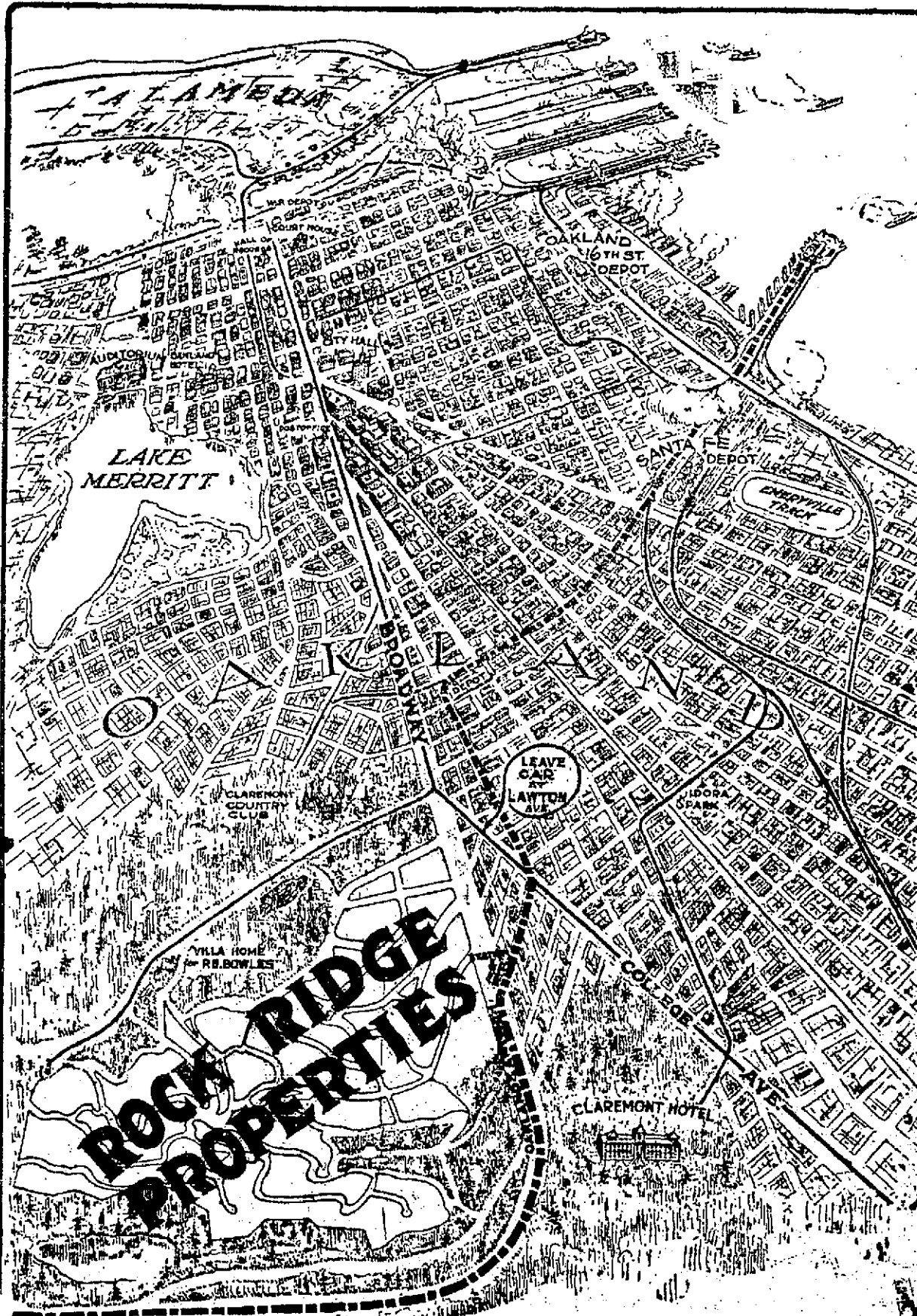
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We would not ask you to do this unless we
believed you would feel that your time had
been well spent upon those glorious hills—

Even if the question of Opportunity, which might later mean dollars to you, did not enter into it at all, you would be repaid. We want you to know Rock Ridge, whether it be the Place or the Park or the Terrace. We want you to see what has been done in the two first-named tracts since they were offered to the public only a short time ago—the enduring roadways, the scheme of the seven parks within the Park itself, the flowered borders, the beautiful homes. We want you to note these things and much more, for they are tangible, visible evidences that we have "made good" with those people who bought largely on faith in this firm when that property was first offered to the public.

Rock Ridge Terrace is the final link in
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Then, the next chance you have, visit any
other property in this whole bay region
that may seem worth while visiting—

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A Blow at the One-Man Decision.

The Ohio Constitutional Convention rejected the recall of judges and the recall of judicial decisions, but it adopted a provision that makes it impossible for one man to decide a constitutional question. If the new organic law is ratified as framed there will be no more overriding of statutes by a four-to-three vote. The concurrence of five of the six judges of the Supreme Court will be necessary to declare an act of the Legislature unconstitutional. By this arrangement the veto power may be vested in too small a minority, nevertheless the proposed change is in the right direction.

The income tax provision of the Wilson law was declared unconstitutional because one man—Justice George Shiras of Pennsylvania—changed his mind. Judge Shiras concurred in the first decision which sustained the validity of the income tax, but he voted to grant a rehearing, and reversed himself and declared the tax to be unconstitutional. The court being equally divided, it was left to Justice Shiras to say whether the tax was constitutional or unconstitutional. He took both sides of the question, but his last stand voided the tax and deprived the government of a large item of revenue which it sorely needed.

The public has had a bad taste in the mouth ever since. The decision was unpopular because it relieved the rich from the payment of a tax that every other civilized country in the world imposes. Moreover, the attendant circumstances had a suspicious look. Thousands of people have never been able to convince themselves that Judge Shiras acted from conscientious motives. For the remainder of the time he sat on the bench he was an object of popular distrust, and when he resigned the public breathed a great sigh of relief.

There will always be dissatisfaction with decisions involving vital questions and the scope of legislative authority which are decided by a single vote in a bench of judges. Where the division is nearly equal, the weight of authority cannot lean very strongly one way. It ought not to be within the power of one man to change from one side to the other and reverse the decision of the court at his own sweet will, as Judge Shiras did.

The pendulum may have swung too far in the other direction in Ohio, but it swings too far in the wrong direction now. But Ohio is singular in the respect that the Governor of that State is not vested with the veto power, and it may be that the restraint put upon the judiciary will work no harm. At any rate, the provision under discussion seeks to curtail a power that has been flagrantly abused in the past, but not so frequently as one might think.

The smallness of the vote cast for Woodrow Wilson is no surprise to THE TRIBUNE. Some weeks ago we pointed out that a vast majority of the Wilson boomers were Roosevelt men who had registered as Republicans two years ago to vote for Hiram Johnson. Many of them claimed to be Democrats, but they were registered as Republicans and voted for Roosevelt at the primary election. If Roosevelt fails to get the nomination they wanted to vote for Wilson, who was supported mainly by the Populistic wing of the Democratic party that had gone over to the Republican insurgents in 1910. This element played Wilson for a backstop—merely as a conditional second choice. But they couldn't vote for him in the primary and would not vote for him against Roosevelt at the general election. The Wilson campaign in California was an attempt of a band of deserters to control the action of the Democratic party.

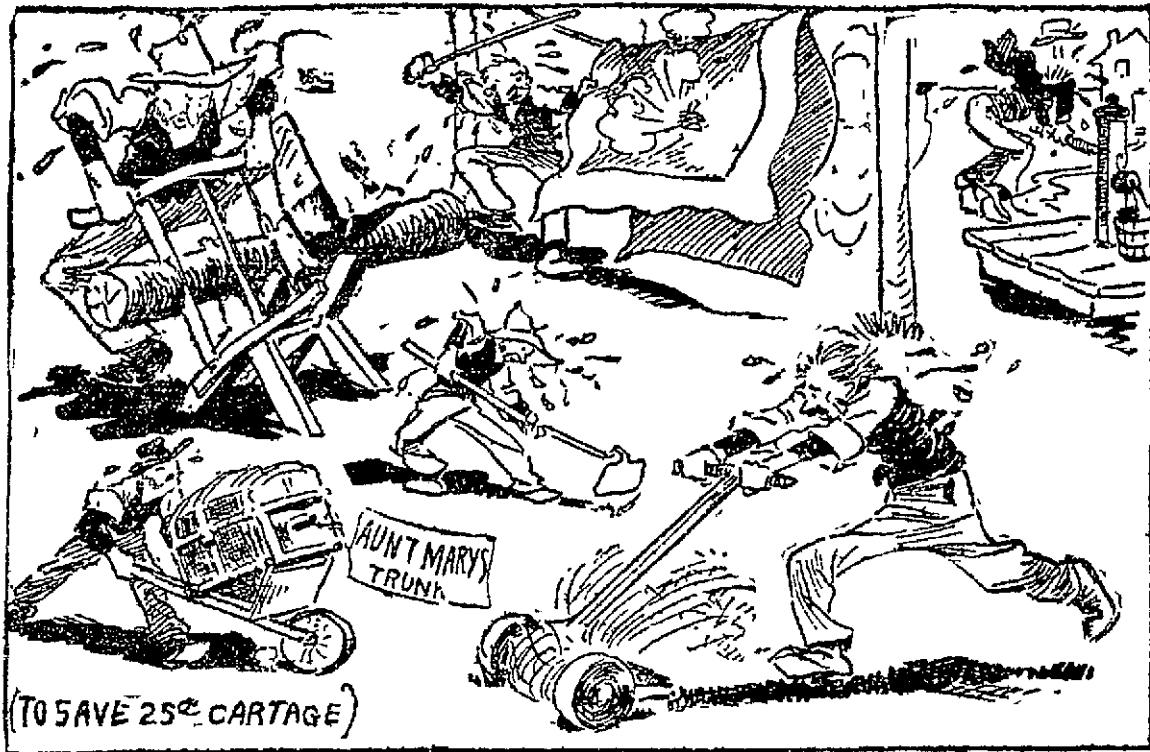
"One thing that all Democrats admit is that it will be more fun beating Colonel Roosevelt in November than it will be to beat President Taft," remarks the Fresno Herald. Beating Roosevelt will be a good deal like the experience of the member of a hunting party who started out boasting that he intended to bring in a bear. Presently he came running into camp without hat or gun, a bear close at his heels, crying, "Get out of the way, boys; I've brought him in." The fun the Democrats will have will be in taking to the woods while Roosevelt rages through their camp and smashes everything in sight.

The Death of Colonel Nunan.

Stockton loses one of her most capable, useful and progressive citizens in Colonel John J. Nunan, publisher of the Evening Mail, who passed away a few days ago after a protracted illness. Together with E. L. Colton and D. H. Berdine, Colonel Nunan founded the Stockton Mail about thirty-two years ago, and the day of his death was the business manager of the paper and largely directed its policy. Almost from the beginning the Mail was a success, and has grown in circulation and influence till it holds a high place in the journalism of California. It speedily broke out of parochial bounds and became noted for the pithy, trenchant and independent way it had of discussing public questions. Mr. Colton was a strong man intellectually and a trained newspaper writer; he aimed to make the paper breezy and readable and succeeded to the extent that the Mail came to be one of the most frequently quoted journals published in interior of the State. It is popular and wields a potent influence in San Joaquin and the adjoining counties. The success of the Mail was largely due to the business sagacity of Colonel Nunan, who took a prominent part in all movements for promoting the interests of Stockton. He helped to modernize Stockton and lift it out of the rut of old fogeyism and narrow provincialism. His efforts and optimistic spirit contributed in no small degree to the remarkable progress Stockton has made in recent years. His death is a loss to sane, honest and sound journalism as well as to his family, friends (of whom he had a great number) and the city which he strove to build up.

William Jennings Bryan is beginning to think he is the only man who can save the country in the impending crisis. He is built that way. Unfortunately for him he says Theodore Roosevelt has stolen all his clothes, and is in danger, therefore, of being arrested for indecent exposure in case he tries to run again. Besides, his clothes are more becoming to the man who is at present wearing them.

We Could Live as Cheaply as Our Fathers--



If we would do as they did--



Instead of the way we do today.

—BY THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE CARTOONIST.

The Presidential Outlook.

On May 7th Taft had 493 votes to his credit, leaving him 47 short of enough to give him the nomination on the first ballot. Since then he has captured the Montana, Nevada and Wyoming delegations, four from Tennessee and two from Alabama—an aggregate of 26 votes—bringing his total up to 529 delegates—11 short of the number required to nominate. He can count on Utah's eight and will get Arkansas and a bunch of the Texas delegates, enough to nominate.

But Ohio is yet to declare her preference. If his native State should declare against Taft by a decisive vote the blow would probably be disastrous.

It by no means implies the nomination of Roosevelt, but will bring out a strong demand for a compromise candidate. Justice Hughes is in everybody's mouth at the suggestion of a dark horse. He is the one man who is not involved in the factional and personal quarrels which have torn and embittered the Republican party, and on whom all factions can unite in harmony. He is an able and clean man of high character and honorable record, and has an enviable national prominence.

However, Hughes is averse to leaving the Supreme Bench to become a Presidential candidate, and probably no attempt will be made to draft him if Taft wins a victory in Ohio.

It turns out that nearly every member of the I. W. W. who claims to have been driven from San Diego by the so-called vigilantes is a non-resident of the town. The men who went to San Diego to kick up a disturbance have little reason to complain if they got the worst of it in the row they raised. They went there looking for trouble, and the man who hunts trouble usually gets more than he bargained for.

The Songbird of Santa Cruz.

But yesterday we called upon the good gray poet of the Santa Cruz Sentinel to strike his lyre again and fill a languishing world melody, and the word is scarcely spoken before Colonel Dunk breaks forth with a glorious strain which cadences down the corridors of time like a ten-pin ball rolling over a rough alley. Hark the note:

"Now, Dives feasted daily, and was gorgeously arrayed, Not at all because he liked it, but because 'twas good for trade. That the people might have calico he clothed himself in silk, And surfeited himself with cream, that they might have more milk. He fed five hundred servants, that the poor might not lack bread, And had his vessels made of gold, that they might have more lead; And e'en to show his sympathy with the deserving poor, He did no useful work himself, that they might do the more."

Here is sympathy for the poor and reprobation of the malefactor rich couched in noble verse. There is nothing the matter with Colonel Dunk McPherson's muse; it is not moth-eaten, nor frayed at the edges; it is not soiled with grease spots, beer and tobacco stains, and has no flies on it. There are no crumbs in the Colonel's whiskers, either.

Emma Goldman's "manager" was not tarred and feathered and branded at San Diego. He was simply escorted out of town and told to stay out. Good enough. He went to San Diego to foment lawlessness and disorder, and invited the treatment he received. He is clamorous for the protection of the law that he denounces and encourages others to violate. Every anarchist appeals to the law for protection when given a dose of his own medicine.

Twenty Years Ago Today

J. A. Underwood is working hard to establish a new Republican organization in West Oakland.

The St. Mary's College ball team shut out the University of California, 6-0. W. D. Townsend has gone out of the omnibus business and left the field to the originator of the scheme.

After winning three straight games, Oakland lost to San Jose yesterday, score 5 to 2. Horner pitched for the local team. Barney Murphy of San Jose defeated D. I. Ostrom for control of the Democratic convention and a pro-Cleveland delegation was elected.

Captain T. P. Robinson was around town this morning looking out for his baseball interests. The trouble with the Piedmont Cable Company has been settled and the games will be played here as usual.

At the next meeting of the Board of Education, an attempt will be made to oust Miss Ferrier, teacher of languages in the high school, following a controversy as to the morality of "Hernani," which she introduced as a text book to her class.

Rev. Dr. Silcox has accepted the call to become the pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational Church, of which Dr. S. H. Melvin is trustee.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brown have returned from their wedding tour. E. J. Moffitt has been appointed on the reception committee of the National Editorial Association by the State Board of Forestry.

Rev. J. P. White, the new pastor of the United Presbyterian church, left Arkansas City today for Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooke have returned from their honeymoon tour in Monterey.

Out of the Mouths of Babies

Teacher—Now, Johnny, can you tell me the difference between a lake and an ocean?

Small Johnny—Yes, ma'am, a lake is much pleasanter to swallow if you fall in.

Small Grace was watching her father plant potatoes. "Papa," she said, "I know why you leave the eyes in the potatoes."

"Why, dear?" he asked.

"So they can see how to come up through the dirt."—Chicago News.

WITTY BITS

The Swedish people have presented King Gus with a warship for the royal navy, the other one having been worn out.

We don't know yet whether it is true that the hobbie skirt makes women knock-kneed, but the seashore season will soon be open.

Down in South Carolina they've got a church that was built in a day, but how many years will it take 'em to lift the mortgage?

Sir Robert W. Perks M. P. opines that the United States wastes too much time on elections. Now and then a Britisher can see a joke.

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OIL IN THE NAVY

Experiments in driving the 21,000-ton dreadnought Utah with nothing but oil to keep her boilers going have assured the future of oil fuel in the United States Navy or the last three months these tests have been made under all kinds of conditions, at varying rates of speed, and the result has so pleased the Navy Department that all the new ships are equipped for oil burning; many of them being designed to burn nothing else.

The elimination of bulky coal bunkers on cruisers, scouts, torpedo boats and other craft designed for high speed and the greatest possible accommodations for crews and offensive armament is an immense advantage. The gain in steam pressure and saving in time in fueling ship increase the value of every class of naval vessel.

Six battleships in the United States Navy are equipped with oil tanks carrying 400 tons of fuel oil, besides the regular supply of coal in their bunkers. They are the North Dakota, the Delaware, the Utah, the Florida, the Wyoming and the Arkansas, all of the super-dreadnought class. The last two are not yet in commission. After the successful work of the Utah the Navy Department decided that the new 26,000-ton battleships Nevada and Oklahoma are to burn oil exclusively. They will be the largest and heaviest vessels afloat upon which no coal is carried.

Fifteen destroyers—the Paulding, the Drayton, the Rose, the Terry, the Perkins, the Sterrett, the McCall, the Murrows, the Warrington, the Mayrant, the Trippe, the Monahan, the Walke, the Ammen and the Patterson—are oil burners exclusively, and on board these ships, the swiftest of the fleet, the use of oil shows its superiority possibly to a more marked degree than on board any other class of craft.

Coal bunkers require space which is most valuable on these little vessels, steady pressure on the boilers is a necessity if they are to maintain the speed for which they were designed, and the saving of time is a great factor. Few men are required in the fire and engine rooms, and this means another saving, both in working and living space.

The absence of the dense smoke which generally results from the use of coal under the boilers and reveals the position of the vessel to a hostile fleet nearly doubles their value. Swift as an arrow, silent and invisible, the new oilburning torpedo boats and destroyers may well be termed the wasps of the Navy.

Four Navy oil depots along the Atlantic are now supplying the new naval vessels with their fuel. These are at Bradford, R. I., Norfolk, Charleston and Key West. Besides these oil is taken from private sources at New York, Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Providence, San Francisco, Seattle and San Diego. The Navy oil depots are now supplying the new naval vessels with their fuel. These are at Bradford, R. I., Norfolk, Charleston and Key West. Besides these oil is taken from private sources at New York, Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Providence, San Francisco, Seattle and San Diego.

Keeping close to the fuel supply is reduced by nearly one-half in the case of vessels using oil exclusively.

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NEAR DEATH IN FIGHT WITH LION

Animal Starts Small Avalanche on Mountain Side and Rangers Are Hurt.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., May 18.—While going to the rescue of a small fox terrier, which had engaged a large mountain lion in a death combat, three government forest rangers, Carl S. Stoddard, Harry Nuzzall and Ronald Forsythe, had a narrow escape from death in an avalanche of rocks started down the mountain side by the two beasts.

When the three men were within 100 feet of the snarling animals a huge boulder started straight for them. Forsythe dodged it, but the other two were hit. Stoddard was rolled 200 feet down the mountain side and seriously injured, being unconscious for several hours.

After attending to Stoddard's immediate wants, the other two rangers returned to the scene of mortal combat higher up the mountain and killed the lion.

JAPANESE EXCLUSION BILL TO HAVE INNING

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Representative Burnett of the House Immigration committee yesterday ordered Representative Hayes of California, chairman of the sub-committee on Representative Baker's Japanese exclusion bill, to call his committee together for a hearing on the bill next Tuesday.

The other sub-committees members are Curley of Massachusetts and Brown of West Virginia. Representative Hayes says he has been holding up consideration of the Baker bill until the Dillingham immigration bill has been disposed of. Many labor organizations and Hebrew and Italian societies have filed protests against the Dillingham bill with the California Congressmen.

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MOTHER AND CHILDREN MADE HAPPY BY COURT

Aid Is Granted Unfortunate Family; Boy Offenders Reprimanded

Huddled together waiting for their hearing in Judge Ogden's Juvenile Court yesterday afternoon was a careworn woman and four little children. One was a bright-faced infant and the others were aged 8, 4 and 3 years. The children were neat and clean and rosy-cheeked. They did not show the hardship depicted in the face of the mother, who told a tale of destitution and want.

Mrs. Mary had become widowed two years ago in Mendocino county and left alone with her children. Believing she could make a living in the city, a relative paid her way to Oakland. Upon her arrival here she did not find it easy to obtain employment. Her children were young and the eldest was hardly capable of looking after the babe in arms.

The predicament of Mrs. Mary and her children was brought to the notice of the Charity Organization Society of Berkeley, which was instrumental in bringing the case before the court for temporary relief. The mother of the children was willing to work and said she was strong and wanted to keep her babies and not give them up to the aid society. She held her infant closely and declared she was willing to work, but employment had been hard to obtain under the circumstances. At the present time so many people leaving town for the summer made day's work scarce, she said.

A representative of the Berkeley society appealed to the court for temporary help until conditions improved for the unfortunate family. The court granted \$5.25 a piece for

the four children, in all \$25 a month, for their support, until the mother is able to obtain a living.

Through the alertness of an Oakland policeman three juvenile offenders were captured and brought before the court for theft and burglary.

After Judge Ogden had read the charges referred against the three boys, who were William, Walter and Henry, the documents were passed to the boys to read. William said he had not been a truant and was a little confused in explaining some previous trouble.

Officer Wood explained how he had learned from another boy that the trio had been in a warehouse and stole some tires.

After Wood had obtained a confession from the boys, he said he searched the premises where they resided and found three tires in a dress suitcase and three others under Walter's bed hidden away. In all there were eleven tires recovered from them.

The owner of the warehouse explained to the court that he did not know he had been burglarized until notified by the police department. There had been no locks broken and he had not missed the tires. The boys said they had gone in through the gate, which was open, two entering while the third kept watch.

The parents of the boys assured the court that they would be watchful in the future and try to keep the lads straight. The boys were reminded of the gravity of the charges made against them and were placed on probation with the warning that for the next offense they would receive the full extent of punishment.

MCCREERY CASE AGAIN IN COURT

Legal Battles of Couple Ended by Agreement Placed on Record.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Four dismissals of action in the Superior Court in this city were filed yesterday, ending the legal battles of Mrs. Emma Jane McCreery of Sherborne, Dorset, England, and Walter A. McCreery, now a guest at the St. Francis.

The couple were married in England in 1896. He spent much of their time in California. McCreery is well known in society as a polo player of great skill. He is the son of Andrew B. McCreery, a pioneer capitalist of this city, while Mrs. McCreery formerly was Emily Jane McAdam, a member of a well known British family.

The suit brought by Mrs. McCreery against her husband was to force him to carry out the terms of a written agreement entered into at the time of the dismissal of their divorce suit in March, 1910. She secured attachments on two valuable pieces of property belonging to her husband, one at East and Mission streets and one at Pine and Davis streets. The dismissals placed on record yesterday dissolve these attachments, but they do not invalidate the lien which, under the agreement, Mrs. McCreery has on the property in case her monthly payments of \$1000 are not forthcoming.

So far we haven't noticed that the Colonel has asked Harper's Weekly to stop opposing him.

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REED DIVORCE DECREE ENTERED

Attorney Brings About Legal Separation; Given Custody of Children.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—With his own hands Charles Wesley Reed yesterday snapped the bonds of matrimony which since May 30, 1892, had bound him to Ethelyn Minnie Watson Reed. The proceedings, which were held in Judge Thomas F. Graham's courtroom, occupied less than five minutes.

Reed, acting in the double capacity of plaintiff and plaintiff's attorney, took a seat beside his honor, and with his complaint in his hand, read off in a low voice the few undisputed facts on which he based his charge of desertion against the wife. Then he called Miss B. Gray, his children's nurse, to the stand, and asked her a single question:

"Did you ever hear Mrs. Reed say that she ever intended again to live as the wife of this plaintiff?"

"Yes," said the witness; "I've heard her say that over and over again. And the last time she was at the house she said that she was not coming any more."

That ended the ceremony of matrimonial dissolution, and Judge Graham entered an interlocutory decree of divorce, giving the custody of the five children to their father, but allowing the mother to visit them whenever she saw fit. All property rights had long since been settled out of court. Reed's face was as expressionless during his conduct of his own case as that of a marble image. There was nothing to indicate whether he was glad or sorry that he was presenting his wife with her long-sought freedom. And there was nothing in the proceedings to parallel those dramatic scenes in Judge Cabanis' court in May, 1910, when Mrs. Reed made her vain fight to attain the very liberty which is now presented to her.

Judge Cabanis denied Mrs. Reed's petition for divorce May 23, 1910, and stated in his decision that it appeared that the wife and not the husband had been guilty of desertion in the legal sense. It was alleged in the evidence that Mrs. Reed had been wont to prey to the "dear devil," Reed added to the excitement by assailing his wife's attorney in court. But the feature of the case was the introduction of Mrs. Reed's letters which were models of the literary expression of marital infidelity.

Reed still says that he is willing to take his wife back, though he admits that they have been strangers since January, 1909, and that she has lived with her parents, 615 Buena Vista avenue, Berkeley, since October, 1909. Mrs. Reed's attitude is summed up in her own expression:

"How can a woman live with a man whose first greeting every day is 'Good morning'?"

ASTOR BUYS 90 H. P. AUTO; IS AFTER RECORD

NEW YORK, May 18.—William Vincent Astor, the nation's newest multimillionaire, will not take anybody's dust on the automobile highways hereafter.

Within a few days young Astor will have in his possession a 40-horsepower foreign racer, which is expected to develop a speed of more than eighty miles an hour.

The friends of the young heir to the Astor fortune say that he has directed this bit of immediate activity to his chum, Herman Oelrichs of New York and Newport. When purchasing the new car Mr. Astor was heard to remark:

"I'll be able to trim Oelrichs now."

BULGARIA REPORTED AFTER TURKEY'S SCALP

ST. PETERSBURG, May 18.—Dr. S. Danef, president of the chamber of deputies in Sofia, who is visiting the czar in St. Petersburg, is reported as carrying out an important mission.

It is said that Dr. Danef is endeavoring to obtain the czar's consent to Bulgaria's declaring war on Turkey. King Ferdinand is reported as urging through his envoy that as many of feeling and purpose prevail among the Balkan states while Turkey is involved in a dangerous struggle with Italy, the time has arrived for driving the Moslem invader out of Europe.



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FALLS ON SCYTHE WHILE FLEEING FROM BULL

NOVATO, May 18.—Pursued by a bull who had become enraged at the sight of the red flannel shirt he wore as he cut hay in a meadow here, Manuel Avila, a farm laborer, running blindly, stumbled over his discarded scythe and almost severed his right leg at the thigh. Other workers in the field succeeded in chasing away the bull as he was preparing to gore Avila's prostrate body. The injured man was taken to the Novato Sanatorium, where Dr. J. H. Kuser took fourteen stitches in the wounds inflicted by the scythe.

COACHES FALL DOWN EMBANKMENT; 3 HURT

OURAY, Colo., May 18.—Three coaches of a Denver and Rio Grande Southern passenger train rolled down an embankment at Leopard Creek, near Brown Sliding, yesterday, injuring three passengers.

The injured are, Mrs. Louise Dergosa, San Francisco, severely injured about back, L. J. Helm, traveling salesman, Denver, knee cap broken, and Daniel Danelli, Ridgeway, scalp cut and hip injured.

HUMAN FLY LEAPS FROM N. Y. FERRYBOAT

NEW YORK, May 18.—Rodman Law caused a panic on a North river ferry boat yesterday by jumping overboard in mid stream. It was thought that he had attempted to commit suicide.

Law is the man who has jumped from the Statue of Liberty and the Bankers' Trust building with a parachute, thereby winning the sobriquet of the "human fly."

Several women fainting as Law went overboard and had to be carried from the boat when it reached the city. Law was picked up by a passing boat, none the worse for his experience.

LEGACY OF \$6,000,000 DROPS ON CARPENTER

JOLIET, Ill., May 18.—Frank A. Jackson, a carpenter and contractor, and former Alderman of Joliet, was badly engaged yesterday in sawing a board to be put into place on a new building when he was handed a letter informing him that Mrs. Mary Jackson of Pelkington, Yorkshire, England, an aunt, had died and that he was the sole heir to her estate of 2500 acres, valued at over \$5,000,000.

The letter was from a younger brother, John Jackson, of San Antonio, Tex., and enclosed was a request from a firm of London solicitors that John assist in settling his elder brother, who was heir to his aunt's fortune.

Jackson succeeds to the property by the old English law of estate. He retained an attorney immediately to establish his identity, which is the only step necessary to secure the estate.

PIONEER SHIRT MAKER DIES AT TROY HOME

TROY, N. Y., May 18.—John C. Ball, the pioneer shirt manufacturer of this city, the greatest shirt-making city in the world, is dead at Watervliet, at the age of 66 years. He was a prominent Mason. Ball sold the first custom-made shirt manufactured in Detroit.

A Berlin report states that there will be no Rhine wine of the vintage of 1912. That is, we presume not until 1920 or so.

REV. EDMUND OWENS ELECTED MODERATOR

PILLSBURY, May 18.—At the conference of the Upper Bay association of Congregational churches, which has just closed a two day session here, Rev. Edmund Owens, pastor of the Martine Congregational church, was elected moderator of the association.

Rev. E. O. Chapel of Crockett was elected registrar. It was decided to hold the next conference in Crockett in November. Fifteen churches were represented by 10 pastors and 30 delegates at the conference.

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GOSSIP FROM SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

A Tale of French Pastry

This is a tale of a hecatomb of tarts, a Saturnalia of French pastry. Two young men about town became possessed of the idea that a tart-eating contest would be de rigueur, and at the same time would settle a mooted point as to which had the greater capacity for the delectable viand known to the trade as the festive "French pastry." It was more generally made by a fat German baker than by a Yankee. Its effect upon the gastronomic system, however, is deadly, whether it be made by white, yellow or black man.

Joseph Hill, a son-in-law of Isador Jacob, the big cannery man, and Al Thornton, a young attorney of this city and Berkeley, were the principals in the contest. At the end of the mill the score stood 12 to 10 in favor of Hill, his opponent having taken the count when the waiter brought on a strawberry tart, a nice, juicy, tutti-frutti strawberry blonde. It was a luscious tid-bit, and all but tempted Thornton to go on with the feast, but a Neapolitan cake which had gone before revived in the stomach, and he was forced to admit that Hill was a French star special when it came to French pastry.

The two gladiators of the pie-counter first exhausted the afternoon's supply of delectables at a local hotel, then repaired to a bakery, where the going was good until Thornton went to the mat with the tart. His downfall was regarded by the onlookers as an inglorious defeat for the law. The bout was refereed by a group of fraternity friends of the couple, who were forced to admit that the stomach hath its victor no less renowned than pastry.—*News Letter*.

Dr. Aked as a Cowboy

Accompanied by several ladies who are prominent in the affairs of the First Congregational Church, Dr. Charles F. Aked paid a visit recently to the home of Mrs. Rose Levy in Edgewood avenue. In all the Sunset district it would be difficult to find a prettier residence place than Edgewood avenue, and the home of Mrs. Levy is one of the prettiest and most artistic of this little known thoroughfare. Mrs. Levy is a woman of unaffected vivacity, and she delights to entertain her guests in unconventional ways. The unique room of her home is a basement apartment fitted up like a frontier dance hall with a miniature bar at one end. When Mrs. Levy takes her friends to this room she dons an Indian garb and invites them to put on various costumes of the wild and woolly West which she keeps for that purpose. She entertained Dr. Aked and the ladies of his church in this room. Everybody entered into the spirit of the occasion. Dr. Aked attired himself in a cowboy costume and carried out the illusion by whooping and stamping and swinging a lariat. Then he brought his impersonation to a climax by doing a cowboy dance which was enthusiastically applauded. "The best time I've had in San Francisco," he told his fair hostess when the afternoon's fun came to an end.—*Town Talk*.

Interesting Engagement

An engagement of interest to Eastern society, and also to that of California, is the betrothal of Miss Helen Fargo Squiers to Richard Lounsbury. Miss Squiers' father who died last year, was secretary to the American Embassy in Berlin, and later to the American Legation in China. He was also United States Minister to Panama, and was the first United States Minister to Cuba after the war. Mr. Lounsbury is a grandson of James B. Haggin. He was graduated from Harvard in the class of '06. He is a member of the New York Athletic and Riding Clubs. Mrs. Squiers and her daughter are living at their English estate, Lympington, in Hampshire New Forest. Mr. Lounsbury has been abroad for some time. The J. B. Haggin was formerly very prominent in San Francisco society. J. B. Haggin was the business partner of the late Lloyd Teale, head of the well-known and immensely rich Teale family. Mr. Haggin's fine stock farm at Rancho del Paso, outside Sacramento, was one of the great estates in the world. Since J. B. Haggin left California he has divided his time between his Kentucky estate and New York. His young wife is fond of society. In early days the Haggin home was one of the cluster of millionaire's mansions on the northern slope of Nob Hill, overlooking the bay.—*The Wasp*.

Lord Mersey's Antecedents

Lord Mersey, the man who was selected to act as chairman of the Titanic inquiry in England, had a long service at the bar before he became a judge. He has resided in the bench, but is a member of the Fifth Council. As a lawyer he has the reputation of being unfraid to face any judge, however severe or learned, and in England judges are the terror of lawyers not well qualified. Lord Mersey was equally fearless and capable on the bench. He is a shrewd and well-balanced man of vast experience, for he is 70 years old, though he looks not more than 50. He is a sturdy, rosy-faced, little Englishman, very profuse of speech and keen of glance. When acting as president of the Divorce and Admiralty Division of the English bench he created quite a stir in England by enunciating the doctrine that a husband in the wife, Liverpool is his native city.—*The Wasp*.

Planning House Decorations

Mrs. Adolph Spreckels is engaged in the pleasant work of planning the interior decorations and furnishings of her handsome new home. Mrs. Spreckels has distinctive taste, and the result of her efforts is expected to be a home of great individuality. With her husband she will go abroad soon, and during her tour of Europe will select furniture and hangings in Italy, France and England. The new home will be one of the most palatial residences, and will be the scene of many entertainments.—*Town Talk*.

Seen at Longchamps

Amongst the Californians in Paris this month are Mrs. Herman Orliechs and her son, Herman Orliechs. They are frequent visitors to the paddock at Longchamps. The races are a great attraction to traveling Americans, who are barred from attending such amusements at home by an unevenly balanced Puritanism, which prohibits horse-races but permits prize-fights.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lehr and Mr. and Mrs. Berry Wall, who are known to many San Francisco people, have also been visitors to the Longchamps course, which is not likely to suffer the fate of American tracks. The Parisian is far too clever a man not to appreciate the value of amusements of all kinds, including horse-races, to attract to his city people who have money to spend. If such people kept away from Paris it would be about as lonely a city as Sacramento after the adjournment of the Legislature.—*The Wasp*.

Americans in Jeopardy

John Davie, who was a Mayor of Oakland in the "nineties," when the City of Churches was trying to put the Southern Pacific Company's ferry service out of business, was one of the Americans who deemed it advisable to get out of Mexico in a hurry. Davie is not noted for his timidity, by any means. In his youth he was a very husky and nifty individual, and even now, after twenty years of business life, he is a powerful and determined man. When he gets out of any locality for the good of his health it is no place for an ordinary citizen. Mr. Davie is very emphatic in his statements to his friends in San Francisco who discuss the Mexican troubles with him that Mexico is a very dangerous place at present for Americans. Mr. Davie saw some gruesome sights in the southern republic and for several weeks before he left his place in Mexico he and his companions were on guard night and day against bandits. Their rifles were rarely out of their hands. The ex-Mayor of Oakland has been mining in Mexico. Under the rule of Diaz, he says, Mexico was not "Barbarous Mexico," as described by some yellow American magazines. It was a land of great opportunities for Americans, and one might travel in any direction without fear. Now an American citizen carries his life in his hands. The afflicted country is infested with murderous bandits, who pretend to be patriots in revolt, but are really robbers on a raid. Under Diaz, too, the common people were contented and happy. The revolution was the work of members of the aristocracy, who wished for a change of government so that they might seize the reins of power for themselves and their friends.—*The Wasp*.

The Return of the Greggs

Mrs. Wellington Gregg and her daughters Ethel and Ethel are expected home from Europe tomorrow. The girls were great successes in Paris where the ultra-exclusives of the American set took them up and made much of them. The fair and fascinating Ethel, I am told, had many admirers in her train but she remained faithful to the devoted swain who has awaited her return. He is a San Francisco man who recently went into business in Southern California where he has been successful and their engagement will soon be announced. I am told on good authority, with the wedding not long delayed. The lucky youth journeyed north to be the first to greet his divinity on her arrival. Rumor declares Miss Ethel Gregg has succumbed to Cupid's wiles and that her betrothal to a youthful admirer will be made known shortly if parental objections on the score of youth can be overcome. Ethel Gregg is just sixteen years of age and has not yet made her debut in society. Like her sister she is handsome and vivacious and possessed of dramatic talent to a degree.—*Town Talk*.

A Rospigliosi Romance?

The Princess Rospigliosi who has been widely entertained by our smart setters since her arrival from Rome last winter is lingering in our midst longer than she is expected to and rumor hints at an interesting denouement of her visit. The attentions of a certain young man whose matrimonial exploits have given society food for gossip in the past have been marked. The Princess is soon much in the company of the young man's parents and sister who returned from Europe a few months since. The romance is said to have had its inception in Italy where the young man spent a season with his relatives. The Princess is young and fair to look upon and is a San Franciscan by birth although much of her life has been spent abroad. I was interested in reading of the low and reformation of her jeweled cigarette case owing to the frank acknowledgment by the Princess of her addiction to the weed. She made no bones about it and I am told was anxious to recover the case as it had a lucky charm attached to it and she declined to smoke until this was again in her possession.—*Town Talk*.

Mrs. Mackay's Lost Fan

Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay would have been incoachable had she failed to recover the fan of old Viennese lace, mounted on tortoiseshell and monogrammed with diamonds, which her maid lost recently at the Hudson Theater, New York. She had entertained a theater party, and in coming out of the building dropped the fan. A man who saw Mrs. Mackay drop the fan picked it up, it seems, and endeavored to return it to her at once, but so dense was the crowd that he was unable to reach her. Seeing the advertisement of the lost article in the newspaper the next day, the finder sent the fan back to Mrs. Mackay and made her one of the happiest old women in New York.—*The Wasp*.

The Passing of Harbor View

"Well, well, well," said my esteemed friend the Man Who Wins the Ferry Clock. I looked at him expectantly. "I have just been over to Harbor View," he said in explanation. "Of course I know this World's Fair is going to be a wonderful thing, but I can't help feeling sorry that old Harbor View is going to disappear. A great place it was, and many a good time I had there when I was a youngster and used to cut up now and then. The old park was a great place for picnics, but I don't suppose there's been one there for eight or nine years. What stories the conductors of the old steam cars could tell if any of them were still on that run in the palm days were still alive! Then there was old Germania Gardens which they pulled down the other day. It was a very respectable place, favored for family picnics, but I must say that many a family picnic there ended up in a battle royal. You know what we used to call Harbor View? Why, Crab Island. Harbor View was as famous on this coast for crabs as Coney Island is for clam on the Atlantic. All the saloons kept them on their lunch counters, and they went mighty well with a cheese sandwich and a glass of beer. And of course you didn't know the Brick Yard, a famous old landmark where many a barefisted battle was pulled off. And the old Fulton Iron Works are going with the rest of the landmarks! I recall when they employed six hundred men in that shipyard, but those were prosperous days. They built some of the ferry boats there. You can easily recall the day that the old tank of the Progresso exploded there causing a terrible loss of life. And the Harbor View Bathing? The girls from the Thivoli chorus used to be fond of going there and many a merry party they had. What have we got in San Francisco to take the place of the dear old Harbor View? The Man Who Wins the Ferry Clock expected a reply, but I shook my head, dropped a tear and passed on.—*Town Talk*.

The Return of Mrs. Keppel

When one reads of the return of Mrs. Keppel to London and the reception that she gave to her friends one has reason to feel that after all it is not such a great gulf that separates the Stuart Court from the post-Victorian. The news of Mrs. Keppel's reception last week was cabled to this country and the newspapers made of it a "front page story." They told us of the prominent men and women who attended the reception—men with their wives and ladies with their debutante daughters—and they told us how intimate were the relations between Mrs. Keppel and the late King Edward. By way of minute detail it was reported that Mrs. Keppel's blonde tresses, which she used to let stream down to her knees that his royal highness might run his hands through them, were decked with gray. Ah, what tender reminiscences! Evidently no doubt to rob us of any lingering illusion that we might entertain regarding the nature of the bond that so long existed between the lady and the King. Now even in the days of Charles the Second, the merry monarch who liked to make duchesses of his mistresses and dukes of his sons, whose motto was that God will not damn a man for a little irregular pleasure, London society was no more tolerant of irregularity than it appears to be today.—*Town Talk*.

The Brides of Early June

The weddings scheduled for the first week of June are a goodly array. I do not recall a more prolific season of matrimonial celebrations. Not less than eight of prominence will occur between the first and sixth of June. On the first day of the month will be the wedding of Miss Frances Newhall and Frederick Woods. On the fourth that of Miss Katherine Oliver and Paul Fay will take place as will that of Miss Hazel Monson and Volney Howard of Los Angeles. The fifth will be marked by the nuptials of Miss Florence Hopkins and Cheever Cowdin. The same day Miss Helen Sullivan will become the bride of Raymond Schumann, U. S. N., and Miss Marian Marvin will plight her troth to Otis Johnson. The sixth is the date set for the Vin Bergevin wedding and the marriage of Miss Antoinette Keyston and Otto Grau. The exact date of Wednesday is observed by but three of these brides of a week.—*Town Talk*.

A Handsome Bride

When Miss Tosca Brunich, who was married in Dudley Sales the other evening, marched down the aisle of the little Episcopal Church in Alameda, the wedding guests did not applaud, but they certainly felt like doing so, and a distinctly audible murmur of admiration was heard through the church, for the bride was certainly a spectacularly beautiful picture—not just ordinarily beautiful, as all brides should be, but dazzlingly, radiantly beautiful. Mrs. Carl Rodin, the mother of the bride, Mrs. Carl Rodin, the matron of honor, and Miss Jean Oliver, Miss Helen Oliver, Miss Margaret Kingstone and Miss Berle McDonald, the four dainty bridesmaids, were the feminine portion of the bridal party, while Philip Funke, the best man, Herbert Brunich, Peter Freeman, Winfield Dora and Evan Williams, the four ushers, and Dudley Sales, the groom, completed the personnel of a most interesting wedding. Dudley Sales, good looking and possessed of brains, is the son of Judge Sales of Denver and a graduate of Harvard Law College. His age as given in the marriage publication is just 20—no doubt an amusing misprint, as he does not look to be a precocious youngster. He looks a husky 30, and has already accomplished things. Alameda is much interested to hear that Gretchen Brunich, Tosca's sister, is returning this week. After many years spent on the operatic stage, Gretchen has had the same amount of publicity as her beautiful sister, so Alameda is all curiosity to see if she is as pretty as ever.—*The Wasp*.

Rather Awkward Situation

Talking of theatrical people reminds me of a situation I observed at the Columbia the other evening when the house was filled with a fashionable audience. In front of me sat a rich and retired merchant with his daughter, a young matron, whose marital troubles got quite an airing in the newspapers last year. She and her young husband could not agree, there being more money in the family than could be used honorably by an average couple. The wife flew to the divorce court and lodged divers and grievous complaints against her spouse, the most serious being that he had developed a taste for slumming on the Barbary Coast and had formed an attachment for a bearded beauty of the underworld. Name of the said beauty and other particulars were given with such elaborateness of detail that a divorce decree was granted—the husband making no defense. It was recalled by the sight of the lonely young wife might marry a prominent physician. The wedding has not occurred, however, and the physician has gone to Europe for an extended tour. All these matters were recalled by the sight of the lonely young wife sitting with her aged father in aisle seats at the Columbia. Across the aisle, within four feet of the merchant and daughter, sat the divorced husband and the gorgeously attired lady of the underworld who had caused the mischief.—*The Wasp*.

She Was Not Well Pleased

Blanche Bates' barefoot performance of the Texas Tommy at the Los Gatos cottage of Dr. and Mrs. Russell Cool should be as good as a gold mine for her press agent. Pen pictures and lithographs of the talented actress in her tootsies disporting in the gayest satirical accomplishment of Far Western society ought to make "standing room only" the regular thing at every performance of the "Girl from the Golden West."

I understand, though, that Miss Bates was not particularly well pleased at the report of the Texas Tommy affair at Dr. Cool's hospitable country retreat, and Richard Hotelling, who applauded the performance to the echo, disappeared from the public ken for two days to allow the slouches of the daily press to cool their ardor.—*The Wasp*.

Mrs. Pullman and Her Dog

Mrs. George Pullman, widow of the man who made sleeping aboard a train a breathless possibility, recently returned from Honolulu a sadder and a madder woman, all because of a measly dog which a few apprehensive persons feared might have been exposed to the rabies.

The dog did not belong to Mrs. Pullman, and that was the crux of the peeve. It might just as well have belonged to her, for all the harm which it did, or which the apprehensive persons feared it would do. As a matter of cold-blooded fact, the pup belonged to a Mrs. Wilbur, who went over on the same steamer, the Sierra. Mrs. Pullman took the trip purely for the sea air. She intended to go over, go "right in and around around, and walk right out again," carefree-like, and quite as if she were not a personage of importance in the money world. Mrs. Wilbur is just as estimable, no doubt, but she is not the widow of the man who made the colored porter a possibility. Mrs. Wilbur owned the dog which, it is alleged, the authorities at Honolulu would not admit on account of an alleged fear that it might have rabies.

Watched a Bandit Slain

Another well-known American woman who is an enthusiastic motorist is Mrs. G. Barton French, the daughter of Mrs. Arthur Inkersley. Mr. Inkersley was for some years connected with the leading San Francisco newspapers, and was regarded as an authority on polo. He arranged several of the early matches in this State. He was a retired from Journalism, but the newspaper habit still remains with him, for he was one of the crowd which hurried from Paris recently to see the owl in the death between the police and the "Tiger Bandit" Bowman, leader of the automobile robbers and murderers. Mrs. French also witnessed that desperate affair, the particulars of which have been fully described in all the daily newspapers.—*The Wasp*.

Bunko Men in Oakland

"Are there many bunko men in San Francisco at present?" I asked a detective whose duty it is to keep his eye on the slippery fraternity who prey on easy marks.

"Oh! full of them. Oakland seems to be wide open as far as bunko men are concerned. They are running joints in Fruitvale, Piedmont and Richmond, and they don't seem to be afraid of the police." "Are they getting police protection?" I asked. But the detective only shrugged his shoulders.—*Town Talk*.

An Enthusiastic Motorist

Mrs. Marshall Field, who has been stopping at the Ritz in Paris, is one of the most enthusiastic of American motorists. She makes frequent excursions in her automobile to points of interest, and will soon start on a tour of Southern France.—*The Wasp*.

To Summer at Home

The two brides of last year who made brilliant matches with young Easterners and crossed the continent to set up their laras et penates will return to spend the summer in their old homes. I refer to Mrs. Ernest Stillman, nee Whitney and Mrs. Benjamin Foss, the former Miss Dorothy Chapman. Both will be accompanied by their husbands, the sons of banker James Stillman of New York and Governor Foss of Massachusetts respectively and they will arrive within the next fortnight. The Stillmans will visit at Redding residence and will then journey to Santa Barbara. Mrs. and Mrs. Foss will be guests of the Wilfred B. Chapmans. I predict a merry round of entertainments for these two pretty young rangers fresh from the attractions of the social whirl in the East.—*Town Talk*.

Gay Berlin

Last week I told about the return of Hugo Keil, former Police Commissioner, from Europe, and how the Parisian touches of the drama, as now presented to, staid Germans and their families in reputable Berlin theaters, surprised him—a German-American who received part of his education in Germany. The Keil family came from quiet old Neuremberg, one of the most interesting cities in Europe. There one finds presented the contrast of the feudal age with prosaic, practical modernism.

In Neuremberg you see, on one hand, the embellishments of the old barons, who lived by the sword, and on the other the smoking chimneys erected by the modern capitalists of industry, for Neuremberg has become one of the important manufacturing cities of Europe, and like most manufacturing centers of the Old World, has adopted Socialist doctrines. Neuremberg's representation of law-makers in the Reichstag is proportionately large, and its triumphant Socialists hope that before long they will elect nothing but Socialists to the Imperial Parliament.

A recent former Police Commissioner Keil's experience in Berlin, I am told by an older returned San Franciscan that the "redlight" district is encroaching so rapidly on the old American quarter of the German capital that it is becoming impossible as a place of family residence. The American church in Nollendorf Platz is now surrounded by night resorts, and the private residence which flanked the church on the north has been torn down to make room for a cafe of the gayest variety. John D. Rockefeller's ample purse helped to build the church. The American quarter, is looking for a new and more secluded locality.

Berlin is growing almost as fast as New York. A person who has not seen it in ten years is like a Rip Van Winkle.—*The Wasp*.

And Mary Did Not Vote

This particular tea party was full of surprises. Said a naive young girl who lives at the Fairmont Hotel with her mother:

"Mary didn't vote on the civic center bonds."

"How do you know?"

"Well, because everyone who registered for that election had to give her age, and I looked in the book this morning, and Mary's age isn't down, so you see she didn't register in time for the bond election, because all those who did register then have their ages all written out. Of course I wasn't looking to find out Mary's age; I just wanted to know whether she had voted for the bonds."—*News Letter*.

She Had a Hard Time

The Wellington Greggs have arrived in New York, and are expected in San Francisco very shortly. A friend in New York writes me that the fascinating Ethel had rather a harassing time in Paris, where she studied singing and dancing. Her music master told her that singing is a matter of muscle and fat as well as tone production, and that no girl of match-like proportions could ever hope to sing. "Eat—eat—eat," counseled the singing master. "He down for an hour after every meal, and let your food turn into flesh; then exercise just enough to make that healthy fat." From singing master, the ambitious Ethel would go to the dancing master, who would roll his eyes and say: "Ah, mademoiselle, should be a great professional; she has the extreme slenderness of the day, and it is natural with her. She will not have to diet and dance all the time in order to keep trained down."

Evidently it is not an easy matter to go in for serious work in two branches of art at the same time. The standard of arduousness conflicts. Singing and dancing do not move in the same set but about fifty pounds. Miss Gregg, I am informed, has the same slender, delicate proportions which she took over to Paris, which means that her voice is still of drawing room proportions. Her dancing is more remarkable, and society owes it to itself and the public to part the summer in the middle with some stunt which will enable Miss Gregg to display the progress she has made in the fascinating art of the dance. Miss Gregg wanted to stay abroad all summer, but returned to officiate as maid of honor at the wedding of Miss Elvise Schultz and Sam Hopkins.—*News Letter*.

The Bachelors Get Busy

Our young men are coming to the front, and tonight will see popular Bud Havens in the role of host at a ball, the same to be given at the St. Francis for no fewer than four hundred guests. Bud was in a quandary about the music. I hear, when he learned that the orchestra for the evening declined to play later than one a. m. But he promptly engaged a military band from 1 to 5 a. m. and the guests may trip the Texas Tommy to their hearts' content after supper. Next Thursday night Harry Scott will be host at a dinner dance for two score of his intimates of the Burlingame coterie. Who will be next?—*Town Talk*.

Miss Parker's Generosity

The announcement that Miss Thelma Parker made over one-fourth of her income to her mother when she became the prospective bride of the young Easterner who will claim her in July, interested me as an instance of filial devotion rare as it was worthy. I made inquiries and through an associate of Fred Knight, the step-father of the young heiress, learned that it was indeed true. The income from the vast estate amounted to \$232,000 for fourteen months as shown in the court accounting in Honolulu of the trustees when Miss Parker came of age. By the showing Mrs. Knight will receive an income of approximately \$50,000 a year during her lifetime. The generous action of her daughter is due to the fact that through a curious chain of circumstances Mrs. Knight inherited nothing from her first husband, the father of Thelma. He was the heir of his mother who was not possessed of many acres of rich lands that have since been developed into one of the largest sugar plantations in the world. Young Parker wedded Miss Dowsett, a Honolulu beauty, when he was but twenty years of age and had not come into his estate. Before he attained his majority he died, less than a year after the marriage. The daughter Thelma was born a week after his death. The present Mrs. Knight was denied a widow's share as her husband was not possessed of the fortune at the time of his death. Miss Parker's estate has been held in trust and when she came of age a few months since she announced her intention to provide generously for her mother. The young lady, by the way, has developed into a beauty as a striking portrait taken in Honolulu indicates. She is said to resemble greatly the beautiful Princess Kaiulani whose early death occurred some years since.—*Town Talk*.

In the Big Suffrage Parade

A friend who saw the big parade in New York writes me that the California women made a very good showing in numbers and would have taken the prize for pulchritude if one had been provided. But of course such a thing would be too frivolous for suffragettes. The delegation from this State was led by Mrs. Gerberding, and among those in the line of march were Mrs. Arno Dorsch, formerly Miss Elsie Sperry and Mrs. Ralph E. Teague, the wife of the former dramatic critic of the Chronicle who is now a special writer for the New York Globe.—*Town Talk*.

Progress of the Fair

"How's the Fair coming along?" is a common question nowadays. All the directors expect you to ask it when you meet them. I put the bromide query to Willis Folk between the acts of "Chan-eler" the other night. "We are six months nearer amicable relations and a year nearer completion than any other Fair I know of," was the answer.—*Town Talk*.

The St. Louis Way

"I suppose a lot of people were surprised to learn from Charley Moore's statement that the Fair directors have been paying their own expenses," said a member of the Exposition company the other day. "Well, no wonder they are surprised. Such a thing is unusual in World's fairs. When David Francis, who ran the St. Louis Exposition was out here recently he was amazed when he learned that we were not drawing on the treasury. He said that in St. Louis and in all the other big fairs he ever heard of the directors had all their expenses paid out of the treasury, and what was more, that when the directors gave up their time to do special work for the fair they were allowed salaries. He thought we were foolish to do as we are doing."—*Town Talk*.

Preparing for the Summer

Charles Rollo Peters has found a first-class tenant for his Monterey house. It will be occupied during the summer by Mrs. Jack Spreckels and her interesting family. Mrs. Spreckels, her two children and maid and governess, have been stopping at Del Monte for a few weeks awaiting the completion of arrangements for their occupancy of Mr. Peters' place, which has been in the hands of the decorators. Mrs. Spreckels is furnishing the house from her San Francisco belongings. Mrs. Spreckels is very fond of motoring, and will have a big touring car in use during the summer.

The amount of conversation on the Peters house to make it comparable to its new occupant reminds one of the time when William Randolph Hearst, in his salad days, rented the old Frank Carter's residence at Sausalito for the summer. That celebrated bohemian, the late Petty Bigelow, was major-domo of the young publisher's expensive establishment and general superintendent of the elaborate improvements. Money was no object to Petty, whether it was his own or somebody else's; so when the renovation of Frank Carter's house was finished the owner wouldn't know it. The Sausalito committee could talk about nothing else but the transformation of the picturesque cottage into an imposing mansion. Carter, who was a shrewd business man, was congratulating himself on having his property so splendidly improved for him by the lessee, but he was even luckier than he imagined, for after occupying the transformed house for a few months Mr. Hearst concluded to buy it. When asked to name a price, the owner named a good, stiff figure, which included the original value plus the thousands the tenant had spent on the property. He had no idea the figure would be satisfactory, but the young publisher did not give the matter a second thought and wrote out his check for the sum asked as if he had been buying a sack of coal. It was the best real estate deal ever pulled off in Sausalito.—*The Wasp*.

Coming West

Mrs. Charles B. Alexander will accompany her niece, Miss Jennie Crocker, on her return from New York in about two weeks. She will be Miss Crocker's guest at her home in Burlingame, and will remain here until the wedding of Miss Crocker and Melvin Whitman. Miss Harriet and Janet Alexander, who will be among the bridesmaids at the wedding, will also come West with Miss Crocker.—*The Wasp*.

Women and Their Occupations

The delicate quality, the elusive character, of the imagination of woman is clearly evidenced by the way she has registered her qualifications for citizenship.

The women cast their first vote of nation-wide importance on Tuesday of this week. On Wednesday afternoon at a cozy little tea a group of girls was discussing the advantages of the franchise. One thought that it made a woman feel that she had added several inches to her stature; another felt that it vitalized the small talk of the home and elevated it into worth-while discussion. Some one else insisted that it made family ties closer, for a man could stay right at home now that every firebrand was a corral where voters could be rounded up.

Then up spoke one fair male, wisest of them all. "I believe the greatest advantage that has come of the enfranchisement has been that it made us sit bolt upright and turn the searchlight on ourselves to discover what our occupation on this earth is, anyway. I know a lot of girls who didn't register just because they couldn't go up against that column with 'occupation' written across the top. So many of them felt that 'idler' was the only word that they could honestly write in there."

"In these days when so many people are rushing around railing against the unearned increment, one hates to write oneself down as a capitalist. Jennie Crocker registered down at Burlingame, and she was going to put herself down as a dog fancier, but Henry T. Scott argued her out of it. Both Livermore gave up as an occupation, 'a collector,' and I suppose anyone who had lost track of the Livermore family, seeing that on the pages of the register that hangs on the wall of every polling place, would say: 'Well, well, so Horatio Livermore's daughter is earning her own living, and collecting, too, at that! It must be hard work for a girl like that to dun people to pay their bills. Well, well, you never can tell what a decade is going to do to our old California families!'"

"When Beth told me that she had given her occupation as a collector I looked around the house to see whether I had enough of any one thing to call myself a collector, but I couldn't do it honestly. Then I had an inspiration. I take care of all the window boxes around the house, with only occasional help from the gardener, and I thought it would be square and right to call myself a gardener. Instead of rushing out and buying some Japanese plants, which was my first impulse."

Those who maintained that women would not give any serious thought to the ballot must stand abashed before this confession, which shows how keenly she has interested herself even in the details of voting. I myself was struck dumb before the vision of the one-time happy, care-free girls whom we had sent scurrying around hunting for some occupation that would look well in print. Over the tea they told of girls who ride in their own limousines, but put themselves down as seamstresses because they do fine needlework, while they are playing dummy at bridge of girls who claimed art as an occupation, when in one knew that they were particularly interested in any fine art save the complexion; any girl who knew a dominant seventh went down as a musician.

The conclusion that one must reach is, that most of our wealthy young women have a genuine desire not to be in the idle, parasitic class, and they have shown ingenuity in thinking up some form of occupation, whereas any man in the same class would cheerfully inscribe himself as a capitalist.—*News Letter*.

If They Knew Who She Is

One of the morning papers employs a girl reporter who weighs not more than ninety pounds, stripped for gym, as the Ladies' Home Journal would say, and she does clubs. That is, she reports the meetings of clubwomen, and listens with Spartan fortitude while they debate upon the whims of the day. After the session she mingles with the spectators and even drinks tea with the debaters. She murmurs something about a "charming gown," and "so glad I was able to be with you to day," and all that sort of rot that women hand out to each other. Then she lies her little self back to the office and roasts the fat out of the women by ridiculing them so cleverly and so subtly that they, of course, are sure no one but a brute of a man does it. They have, in fact, written time and again to the paper and protested that the paper owes it to the clubwomen, of the city that a woman, and a sympathetic woman, be sent to cover their meetings. "At least a woman," the protests pray.—*News Letter*.

He Has Nerve

An indication that young Astor possesses the spirit of his father as to willingness to sacrifice himself for others was shown in October, 1910, when he drove his automobile into a tree to prevent running down a man on a motorcycle. He was driving from New York to the Poughkeepsie fair at the time and met Charles Halmer, a telephone company employee, who rode into Broadway, Tarrytown, from a side street. Astor steered his machine into a tree, but even then the cyclist struck the automobile and Halmer was thrown off with a broken leg. The automobile was smashed and Astor arranged to pay for the injured man's treatment and loss of time.—*Town Talk*.

Coming West

Mrs. Charles B. Alexander will accompany her niece, Miss Jennie Crocker, on her return from New York in about two weeks. She will be Miss Crocker's guest at her home in Burlingame, and will remain here until the wedding of Miss Crocker and Melvin Whitman. Miss Harriet and Janet Alexander, who will be among the bridesmaids at the wedding, will also come West with Miss Crocker.—*The Wasp*.

The Meddler

THE surprise of his life would probably come to Mr. Frank C. Havens if anyone were to tell him that he was one of the great art educators of the coast. He has gone about his work so unostentatiously, buying pictures where he discerned beauty and sometimes greatness, and generously sharing his treasures with his friends, that he has not realized that he is perhaps the leading art connoisseur on the coast. But that honor is certainly his, for here in Oakland is one of the finest art galleries on the coast, one that ranks exceedingly well with private art collections anywhere. Mr. Havens is his own art critic, and it is a joy to hear him discuss a work of art. He has advice, of course, as everyone has, in buying a picture; but he knows about the picture himself with that fine artistic intuition, that keen appreciation, which is akin to genius.

Standing before any well-known picture, Mr. Havens can usually tell you who painted it and where it was exhibited; he can tell you all about the Barbizon School, all about the pictures which made that group of painters in the Fontainebleau forest so famous. It is quite wonderful how a man living in the far West the greater part of his life, and not an artist himself, in that he paints no pictures, should have such knowledge of the great painters of the world and of what they tried to express—of Franz Hals, of Rembrandt, of Titian, of Velasquez, of Rubens, of Raphael, of all those painters in far-off England whose names are so familiar in the English-speaking world.

All this would not matter if the man who made the collection of pictures kept them to himself, or to be gazed upon at intervals by a few fortunate friends. But it matters very much to the world at large when a beautiful and wonderful collection of pictures is shared with art lovers, and with people who do not love art for its own sake, but who are willing to learn. And all this is but the foreword—but the introduction to one of the important announcements of the season.

INVITES PUBLIC TO BE HIS GUESTS.

It is that Mr. Frank C. Havens invites the general public to be his guests on three days next week—on Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons, from 2 to 7 o'clock. He sends out a general invitation to all the people of the bay cities, and of cities anywhere else where there are art lovers who would like to come, to come Piedmont Park on these days and see the wonderful pictures which now make up the collection in the Havens art gallery. Admission to the park will be free, and to the art gallery also, on these three days of next week.

One special reason for these delightful afternoons lies in the fact that so many people have expressed a wish to see the famous Russian art exhibit, which has caused such a stir throughout the world in the past few months. Mr. Havens' long struggle to obtain these wonderful pictures is a matter of history, and while the victory is not yet completely his, they are now in his possession, and the great pleasure of seeing them will be ours owing to the generosity of Mr. Havens. Everyone is welcome, all are invited, not once, but as often as we choose to come in the three days in which Mr. Havens announces that he will be our host.

The Russian exhibit represented the best efforts of the artists of the great Russian empire. They were proud of it in Russia, as they sent it out for the St. Louis world's fair. How strange it seems that the work of these far-off Russians should be in an art gallery on this far Western coast, and that we should be asked to see it through the generosity of one of our prominent men. One hears that in the collection is one of Verestchagin's great pictures, and he is recognized as the leading artist in Russia. An exceedingly fine Verestchagin entitled "Outside the Walls of Babylon" was on exhibition recently at the Palace Hotel. It is owned by Mrs. Hoarst and is remarkable for the wealth of faithful detail.

A Verestchagin alone would make an expedition to the gallery an event of much importance, but we have all the rest of the Russian collection besides. Very few hosts are able to plan so great pleasure for their guests. A summer afternoon in beautiful Piedmont Park is well worth while, and when we have besides, for a central motif, the Russian exhibit and the gorgeous canvases that go to make up Mr. Havens' fine collection, we have provided for



MRS. F. W. BRADLEY IS A COUSIN OF MRS. A. D. CROSS OF THIS CITY.

our happiness and enjoyment an afternoon of rare charm.

So three of our holidays are scheduled for next Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons, when Mr. Havens is making free to us beautiful Piedmont Park, and free to us, also, the art gallery in which are stored the treasures dear to his heart.

ERSKINE-HOLLAND WEDDING INTERESTS.

One of the very important weddings of the season was that of Mr. Herbert Erskine and Miss Lole Holland, which took place on Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Holland. The Erskines are among the well-known and prominent families of the county and the Hollands have long been among the most representative families of the state. Mrs. Holland was formerly Miss Grace Wade, the youngest daughter of the late Thomas Wade, one of the pioneers of our state, who built "Wade's Opera House" and did much in the early days to build up the great prosperity of San Francisco. So the wedding of

Miss Lole Holland and Mr. Erskine was a matter of interest to many old family friends in the cities around the bay.

The home of the Hollands on Telegraph Avenue was most attractive, representing a lovely bower of roses as an environment for the attractive young bride, who is the only daughter of the household.

The color scheme of the wedding was pink, beautiful Maryland roses and bride roses carrying out decorations most artistically planned.

The bride is a very charming young girl, sweet and unspoiled, and with a gracious, attractive personality which has made her very popular and which has always won for her very true friends. She made a lovely study in a beautiful and most artistic wedding costume. The gown was of white satin, the corsage elaborately trimmed with rare lace. The long wedding veil was fastened with orange blossoms and the costume was completed by a bride's bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Emery of San Francisco, and a re-

ception followed the wedding service. Later an elaborate wedding supper was served, after which the young bride and groom left on their wedding trip, which will take them to the southern part of the state.

There were 50 guests at the wedding, almost all of whom were relatives of either the bride or groom, only eight friends outside the family circles being included in the invitation lists, and the wedding was an exceedingly bright affair. The company was most congenial and only the most sincere good wishes were at the basis of the happy congratulations showered upon them.

Mrs. Arthur Holland, the mother of the bride, looked exceedingly well in a beautiful gown of black lace, with diamond ornaments, and Mrs. Joseph Matthews, the bride's aunt, was gowned in black, the handsome gown of lace and chiffon being also set off with diamond ornaments.

Mr. Erskine is a young lawyer whose early success bespeaks a career of great promise. The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Erskine are glad to hear that they are to estab-

lish their own home in our city, and it will be made all the more attractive by the many beautiful and costly presents which represented the affection of many friends and relatives. Few weddings have been more perfectly arranged or have represented such promise of future happiness as this one of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Erskine.

GARDEN TEA IS DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR.

Garden affairs are simply delightful at this time of the year, for it is the month of roses and the time for the Al fresco fete. "Come into the garden, Maud," said Tennyson a long time ago, and he might have drawn still deeper inspiration if he could have lived amid the gardens of these California hill slopes.

Mrs. Harold Spence Black entertained this week at a garden tea, and a number of intimate friends spent a most delightful afternoon in the

lovely grounds adjoining her home. Mrs. Black has an exceedingly fine collection of orchids and her roses are very beautiful.

Mrs. Horry Meek was a hostess on Tuesday, entertaining in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Doran, formerly Miss Sallie Meek. Mrs. Doran's home is in Santa Barbara, but she has many old-time friends here who are delighted to meet her when she comes from the south for a visit with her relatives. Mrs. Meek recently returned from the Orient, much improved in health, and she planned a delightful afternoon for her sister-in-law.

The house was very beautifully decorated in roses and ferns, and the dining-room was specially effective, being done in American Beauty roses. Mrs. Meek was assisted in receiving her guests by her daughters, Mrs. William Volkmann and Mrs. Stuart Hawley.

Among the guests of the afternoon were:

Mrs. Frank C. Havens	Mrs. J. R. Burnham
Misses Hawley	Mrs. Minor Goodall
Mrs. A. Schilling	Mrs. Thomas Grellin
Mrs. William Meek	Mrs. Albert Brown
Mrs. Robert Stone	Mrs. E. B. Braden
Mrs. William Landers	Mrs. H. C. Taft
Mrs. William Angus	Mrs. Vincent Whitney
Mrs. George Volk	Miss Jennie Huff
Misses	Miss Gail Huff
Mrs. Martin Kales	Mrs. Charles Boughton
Mrs. Henry Payot	
Mrs. Johnston	

MRS. ERWIN BRINCKERHOFF IS DELIGHTFUL HOSTESS.

Mrs. Erwin Brinckerhoff was a hostess of the week, entertaining at one of the most delightfully planned afternoons of the late season, or rather, of the charming springtime. Mrs. Brinckerhoff invited her friends to a most delightful affair which she called: "An Afternoon in My Garden." With such an invitation

come to her home for "an afternoon in my garden."

The day was very lovely, Dame Nature being at her best, and the beautiful garden on the green hillside was a setting for a gay gathering at a happy party.

Mrs. Brinckerhoff gave her afternoon as a welcome home to Mrs. Will Barnard. The Barnards are her neighbors, and they recently returned from a delightful trip to the Orient.

In this charming old-fashioned afternoon in an old-fashioned garden there was a delightful old-fashioned guessing game, the questions being written on postcards, and the answers were, of course, in the names of flowers. The cards also carried dainty flowers, in water colors, and were most artistic. Mrs. Jolly added to the charm of the occasion with her beautiful singing, and in the late afternoon dainty refreshments were served.

Among the guests was Mrs. Girard Richardson, the bright young bride, who has come from Southern California to make her home in Oakland. Other guests at the "Afternoon in the Garden" were:

Mrs. Will Barnard	Mrs. Arthur Breed
Mrs. Frank Butler	Mrs. Harlow Bancroft
Mrs. Mabel Butler	Mrs. Jolly
Mrs. Arthur Adams	Mrs. Alex Kirkland
Mrs. Gummel	Mrs. Frank Barbour
Mrs. H. K. Jackson	Mrs. Guy Earl
Mrs. Kennerow	Mrs. Will Badgley
Mrs. Kiso	Mrs. Harry Bonner
Mrs. McHenry	Mrs. C. T. Baker
Mrs. Murray Johnson	Mrs. James
Mrs. Platter	Mrs. Cary Howard
Mrs. Buckel	Mrs. Robert Stratton
Mrs. J. B. Richardson	Mrs. Harry Beane
Mrs. Girard Richardson	Miss Lillian Barnard

HOME CLUB RECEPTION IS OF MAGNITUDE.

The largest reception of the week was the annual one at the Home Club,



MISS ALICE PERKINS SMITH WAS THE GUEST OF HONOR AT A BAL MASQUE GIVEN AT SENATOR PERKINS' HOME LAST WEEK.

one would know that the "afternoon" would be sweet, artistic, different. And it certainly represented all three of these characteristics.

And how lovely the Piedmont gardens are at this time of the year, with a great wilderness of roses sending a wealth of bloom down the hill-slopes. And Mrs. Brinckerhoff's garden is ideal. The windows and doors open upon a charming scene—of nodding flowers, like sweet friends they are. A wide porch looks out upon the picturesque garden, and it all makes an ideal setting for the perfect hostess who bids her friends

which marks the installation of the officers of the year. An elaborate luncheon was served at the club, and later in the afternoon there was a large reception, to which many prominent guests were invited.

The reception on Wednesday was planned along elaborate lines and was a most delightful affair. The day was lovely, and a spring day at the Home Club is wonderfully picturesque. The hill views are so fine and the gardens so superb. Not the least picturesque of the phases of a reception at the Home Club is that quaint ride up the hillside in the delightfully old-fashioned little car—one feels like

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singing happily that old song, "Peggy in Her Low-backed Car."

The Home Club was a splendid study in roses—great La Frances, and wonderful roses in shades of varying pinks and reds. It was exceedingly attractive, and during the afternoon a stringed orchestra played the most delightful selections—from "The Spring Maid," "The Pink Lady," "The Balkan Princess"—the lovely music striking a rare note in the sweet spring afternoon. The doors and windows were open; elaborate refreshments were served at fresco, on the wide verandas, and the big reception became a picturesque spring festival.

Among the many interesting people at the Home Club reception were: Mrs. Granville Shuey Mrs. Edward Walsh Mrs. Edwin Brinker Mrs. Lucy Sabin Hoff Mrs. Edward Remillard Mrs. W. H. Chickering Mrs. H. H. Chamber Mrs. Harry Carlton Mrs. D. L. I. Shuey Mrs. Mary Alexander Mrs. W. W. Crane Mrs. John Louis Tabor Mrs. C. W. Ames Mrs. Emma Wellman Mrs. Horton Mrs. Black Mrs. George C. Edwards Mrs. T. L. Barker Mrs. Charles Leonard Mrs. Frank J. Wood Smith Mrs. McAlle Genners Mrs. John Yule Mrs. D. B. Hunter Mrs. William R. Davis

HOST OF FRIENDS MOURN FOR MRS. McELROY.

It was with a great shock of surprise, followed by most sincere sorrow, that many friends learned of the passing on Wednesday of Mrs. James McElroy, who was formerly Miss Alice Dunn.

She was the youngest daughter of a large family, the latter one of the best known families in the county, for the Martin Duns were among the pioneers in the great Claremont district. They came there with the

magnetic personality, unusually frank and sincere. Her own family was specially devoted to her, and her friends bestowed upon her a loving affection, as rare as it is unusual. She was a charming young matron, bright, brilliant, strong, happy-hearted. Truly "Death loves a shining mark."

Mrs. Alice Dunn was so sterling, so genuine, so truly generous in her measurements; she was so good to the poor; such a fine type of womanhood—in such a career of usefulness—that the pity of her passing loses itself in a deep regret that must not be for dear Alice McElroy, but for those who must live along without her—for the many relatives and friends left behind. One's tender sympathy goes out to the young husband, Mr. James McElroy, and to the dear, sweet, affectionate sisters, Margaret, Mary and Kate Chabot Dunn, and to that band of brothers who will miss their youngest sister sorely.

A beautiful, unselfish life is ended, but its influence goes down the years to make other lives better. And hallowed among the sweetest memories life may know must always be that of sweet Alice Dunn McElroy.

MANY TO SPEND TIME IN SIERRA.

The charm of the high Sierra as a place to spend the summer comes with a special appeal to many people this season.

Dr. and Mrs. Philip King Brown are planning to spend the entire season at Tahoe, and will go to the lake as soon as school days are over for the year.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Moffitt are



last year with the Sag Harbor people, something having happened to their own beach. Mr. Havens was born in Sag Harbor and he is very fond of the quaint Eastern village, with its charming picturesqueness. There are wonderful woods near Sag Harbor, and Mr. Havens has a yacht, in which ideal trips may be made to the great city of New York, not so far away.

The Frank Havens and the Richard Partingtons are planning to leave for the East about the first of June, and the Sag Harbor home will be opened then for the summer.

Not so far from Sag Harbor is Shelter Island, which is very gay in the summer. And here is the summer home of the F. M. Smiths, which they open early each season. All sorts of water sports are diversions at Shelter Island, and there are many dances and other social affairs at the Manhasset House, one of the well-known summer hotels of the Atlantic coast.

The George Sterlings make their home the year round at beautiful Carmel-by-the-Sea, which has a wonderful beach and a fine outlook on the great Pacific. They have among their guests each year Mrs. Maxwell and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson (Gladys Maxwell).

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nicholls have taken a cottage at Montecito, near Santa Barbara, and will spend the summer there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott are planning a sea trip for their summer vacation this year, and, with their daughter, Miss Adele Scott, they will sail in the late summer for the Orient. They will make a short stay in Honolulu, and they will spend some time in Japan and China.

The Mark Reques have decided upon a sea trip this year for their vacation days and they will go to Alaska. One hears that the great inland sea will be very beautiful this summer, owing to the unusual winter in Alaska, by which their will be many more glaciers than usual. The sea trip there is one of much beauty and grandeur, making an ideal vacation trip.

PICTURES IN THE MIDDLE.

Miss Alice Perkins Smith, whose picture appears in tonight's Meddler, was the honored guest at a ball masque given at the home of Senator Perkins last week, when Miss Elizabeth Finch was the hostess, and a delightful evening was enjoyed by the guests.

Miss Ynez Estudillo is a member of one of the oldest families of the bay cities. She was one of the prettiest girls at the garden party given recently by J. Witt Dougherty at Pleasanton.

Miss Marian Harrier is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Harrier of Palo Alto and is a favorite with the local younger set in this city.

Mrs. F. W. Bradley is a well-known society woman of the bay cities. She is a cousin of Mrs. A. D. Cross of this city, and has been much entertained here.

O. H. S. ALUMNI TO GIVE DANCE.

One of the largest social affairs of the month will be the Oakland High School Alumni dance, to be given at the Home Club on the evening of May 31. Preparations for the dance are going rapidly forward and it is probable that there will be at least 500 dancers at the Home Club on the eventful evening.

The affair is under the special direction of the Alumni Council, composed of the following members: Harold Oliver, president; Albert Coogan, Floyd Gray, Elizabeth Sherman, Edward Chamberlain, Frank Harris, Mrs. Harold Oliver, Miss Orton, Mr. Walter Graves.

The executive committee for the dance consists of Miss Alice Shuey, president; chairman of vaudeville, Vera Cope; chairman of invitations committee, Olive Orton; chairman of decoration committee, Mrs. Martin Walsh (Elsie Campbell).

The young people who are busy planning the dance are:

Miss Lilla Lovell Miss Lucy Long Mrs. Margaret Coogan Edna Vepper Miss Cleo Toey Julie Taylor Miss Bernice Brown Marcela Campbell Miss Eva Gracie Jack Taylor Miss Lora McGowan Russell Contryman Miss Muriel Kelley Alvin Wilder Miss Grace Parker Marilee Knowles Miss Rosemary Pratt Neal Harris Miss Edna Johnson Clara Hall Stewart Jolly Harry Gray

The reception committee will consist of: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. James Pond, Miss Annie Florence Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shuey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bentley, Miss Orton, Miss Johnson, Miss Hanna, Miss Susan Shoemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, Miss Brock, Miss Alice Berry, Mr. Walter Graves, Mr. Samuel Cole.

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MISS MARIAN HARRIER, A FAVORITE IN THE YOUNGER SET ABOUT THE BAY.

Thornburghs and Ballards, and much of the land around what is now the Claremont Hotel was theirs. So the family has many friends among the oldtime settlers of Oakland, who have watched the children grow to manhood and womanhood, and have had a sincere and loyal friendship for them all.

The Dunn home always stood for a great overwhelming hospitality, and one found under its roof only sincere and generous friendships. And a true greatness of heart and soul found its finest flower of expression in Alice Dunn McElroy. She was a young matron, very handsome, tall, special, attractive, with a strong

in New York, and they are planning to return to Tahoe immediately on their way from the East. They have a cottage at the lake and they will spend most of the summer there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bliss (Florence Dunham) will also spend a large part of the summer in their Lake Tahoe country home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Magee are also very fond of vacation days in the Tahoe region, and they usually go there in the late summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Woodward have an ideal country place at Alta, in the high Sierra, and their hospitable home is usually full of guests all through the summer.

At Independence Lake, near Tahoe, are many cottages, where people spend the summer in a most informal fashion.

The F. E. Bowles have a cottage at Independence Lake, and many prominent families from across the bay have established cottages on the shores of the lake.

The R. G. Browns are very fond of the mountains, and they spend several weeks each summer at Shasta Springs, with beautiful Mount Shasta for a neighbor for all the vacation time.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, with their daughters, Mrs. Everts and Miss Florence Brown, leave usually in June, and they spend some weeks at Shasta Springs. They are greatly missed by their friends, especially on Wednesday afternoons—their day at home—for the 2 o'clock tea served in their home on the charming veranda marks an ideal hour of one's day.

Mrs. Rosborough and Mrs. Joseph Rosborough will spend the summer

MISS YNEZ ESTUDILLO, WHO WAS ONE OF THE GUESTS AT J. WITT DOUGHERTY'S GARDEN PARTY, GIVEN RECENTLY.

in the Sierra, and will be at Lake Tahoe for the season.

MISS MINNIE HOUGHTON PLANS VISIT IN EAST.

Miss Minnie Houghton is planning to spend the summer in the East with her sister and brother-in-law, Senator and Mrs. Morgan Bulkeley. She will leave San Francisco next Monday and will attend the marriage of her nephew, Morgan Bulkeley Junior, and Miss Ruth Lee Collins, which will take place in Hartford, Connecticut, on June 8.

MAY DATES LOOM UP IN IMPORTANCE.

May dates continue to loom up in social importance, and there is scheduled for May 23 the reception to be given by the Ladies' Relief Society. On Tuesday, May 23, there will be given one of the largest Ebells receptions of the year, and on Wednesday, May 23, there will take place the marriage of Hiram Johnson Jr. and Miss Amy Bowles. The Ladies' Relief Society is generously put off their plans for this year, giving

way to the T. W. C. A. campaign and to the West Oakland tag day. But the directors are inviting their friends to a reception planned on delightful lines, and in the receiving party will be the president, Miss Matilda Brown, and the members of the board of directors, and of the board of managers.

The Ebells Club scores its largest reception of the year on the afternoon of May 23, and a large attendance is expected. Miss Mabel Riegelman is to be the singer of the afternoon and one hears that she has been most generous in arranging her program.

MARRIAGE TO BE IMPORTANT SOCIALLY.

The wedding of Miss Amy Bowles and Mr. Hiram Johnson Jr. on May 23rd will mark an important social event, as the bride is so many families here, and is a prominent figure in the social life of the city.

Miss Gladys Wilson, an early school friend of Miss Bowles, is to be the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will be the Misses Harriet Stone, Marian Miller, Esther Deary, and

Ernestine McNear. The groom will be attended by his brother, Mr. Archie Johnson.

A reception and wedding supper will follow the ceremony at the bride's home, "The Pines."

Among the many relatives of the bride-elect are the John McNears, Mrs. George McNear Sr., Mr. and Mrs. George McNear Jr.

The young daughters of the Oscar Longs and of the Mark Reques will also be included in the bride's wedding party.

A trip abroad will be given to the young people, given to them by Mr. P. E. Bowles.

OF THE SEA HEARD BY MANY.

There are those to whom the sea always brings its own appeal, and vacation days at the seashore are among the most treasured of all the days of the year. And so Mr. Frank Havens loves his home at Sag Harbor, built with a fine outlook on the great Atlantic, and all about the house a beautiful beach.

This beach was generously shared

STATE MAY PROSECUTE SAN DIEGO VIGILANTES

'WORSE THAN I. W. W.' IS CHARGE

Weinstock Says That Citizens' Committee Is Shamefully Brutal.

Governor and Attorney-General Discuss Plan of Interfering.

SACRAMENTO, May 18.—Colonel Harris Weinstock, special commissioner appointed to investigate the Industrial Workers of the World situation in San Diego, has submitted his report to Governor Johnson, and it was made public today.

At present Governor Johnson is counselling with the attorney-general's office over the advisability of interfering, as recommended by the commissioner, and having the state prosecute the vigilantes of San Diego, as the commissioner finds the district attorney of San Diego will not do his duty. The report, a voluminous document, indicates that while the Industrial Workers of the World constitute a lawless class, growing out of European conditions and imported from Europe, the vigilantes who punished the Industrial Workers were guilty of greater wrongs than they, that the right of free speech has been cramped upon, and that the I. W. W. disturbances have crystallized the growing problem of anarchistic doctrine, which demands immediate and careful legislation.

NO RIGHT OR WRONG.

Commissioner Weinstock finds from their own lips and from the literature given to him by members of the I. W. W. that they teach and preach the following doctrines:

A—That workmen are to use any and all tactics that will get the results sought with the least possible expenditure of time and energy.

B—The question of right or wrong is not to be considered.

C—The evening sword is to be unsheathed, with all hearts resolved on victory or death.

D—The workman is to help himself when the proper time comes.

E—No agreement with an employer of labor is to be considered by the worker as sacred or inviolable.

F—The worker is to produce inferior goods and kill time in getting tools repaired and in attending to repair work—all by a silent understanding.

G—The worker is to look forward to the day when he will confiscate the factories and drive out the owners.

H—The worker is to get ready to cause national industrial paralysis, with the view of confiscating all industries; meanwhile taking forcible possession of all things that he may need.

I—Strikers are to disobey and treat with contempt all judicial injunctions.

DISOBEYED LAW.

He finds, also, that they went to San Diego in an evident intention of trying to break up the trade unions, and that they deliberately disobeyed a city ordinance concerning street speaking. That ordinance permitted street speaking only within certain sections. Subsequent to this defiance of the ordinance, although all other classes of street speakers were permitted to speak in the sections for such purposes that privilege was directly withdrawn from the Industrial Workers of the World, and Commissioner Weinstock holds that this was a violation of the right to free speech.

'SHAMEFUL BRUTALITY.'

The commissioner finds that excessive and shameful brutality was exercised against the Industrial Workers of the World, and he criticizes very severely not only the police department, but the vigilante committee as well, the various public business organizations, the Chamber of Commerce and the newspapers of San Diego generally.

He narrates many acts of wanton brutality by the lawless self-appointed vigilantes of San Diego, and declares them to be far worse law-breakers than the men whom they tried to rid San Diego of.

In one place he tells that he has been in Russia, and that one time during the revolution he was in Russia or in the alleged land of the free and home of the brave.

He scores very severely the vigilantes, who, he said, trampled upon the constitutional rights of other men and "proved themselves to be bitter enemies of law and order."

PRISONERS UNARMED.

Although in nowise countenancing, and, on the contrary, very severely denouncing the Industrial Workers of the World for what they did in San Diego, the commissioner finds that up to the conclusion of his investigations they had used only peaceful methods toward their extraordinary ends, that although 200 of them were arrested, there was not a pistol or weapon of any kind found on any one.

And he goes on to say that the "representative citizen" who has committed these lawless acts against the law and the constitution and against the right of free speech and against the liberty of the citizen, has, "in the eyes of the law, made himself a criminal—a far greater criminal than those whom he brands as 'anarchists,' 'revolutionists' and the 'kum of the earth.'"

OFFENSES CONTRASTED.

Contrasting the offenses, he calls attention to the fact that the extreme penalty for the crimes committed "by these alleged anarchists" is not to exceed \$500 fine, or 20 days in the city jail, or both. Whereas, the crimes committed by the vigilantes

YOUTHFUL CHRISTIANITY IN PAGEANT 1500 FRUITVALE CHILDREN IN PARADE



Like Pasadena Floral Show Is the Demonstration of Boys and Girls and Dolls and Toys

Marching fifteen hundred strong and stretching two miles in length, youthful Christianity, as exemplified by the Fruitvale Sunday schools, furnished a striking spectacle this morning during the second annual parade.

The classes of fourteen churches were

of the vigilantes committee are punishable by a fine of \$5000 and possible imprisonment for 10 years, and are convicted of such offense under the law are declared unfit and ineligible to hold any office or place of honor or trust created by the constitution or laws of the United States.

In summing up, Commissioner Weinstock said:

"In view of the strained conditions existing at this time in the county of San Diego, and in view of the utter lack of confidence on the part of the citizens of this so-called vigilante committee in their being able to obtain justice and redress at the hands of District Attorney H. S. Utley of San Diego, because of his pronounced hostility to them and to their causes, I, the undersigned, as commissioner, would suggest that you give due consideration to the advisability of instructing the attorney-general of the state of California to consider such evidence as may be submitted to him by the attorneys of the vigilantes, and to the various public business organizations, the Chamber of Commerce and the newspapers of San Diego generally."

UTLEY DENIES CHARGES.

SAN DIEGO, May 18.—Characterizing the charges against him by Harris Weinstock, sent to San Diego by Governor Johnson to investigate the Industrial Workers of the World conditions here, as "libelous," District Attorney H. S. Utley this morning declared he would hold Commissioner Weinstock personally responsible.

"The statement that the district attorney for San Diego county did not do his duty is absolutely and unequivocally false," declared Utley this morning. "I know my duty and he evidently does not know his. The statement that the right of free speech has been trampled upon is false and Weinstock could have found that out if he had taken the trouble to investigate."

"Weinstock manifested from the very start that he was unfamiliar with his own duties. I consider his appointment and his mission to this city an insult to San Diego. The gentleman invited me to be present at his alleged investigation which was crowded with men with whom I was then and still am engaged in prosecuting and which was conducted without any oath being administered and at which Weinstock received statements which my investigation and knowledge of the matters referred to showed were without basis."

"To my mind the whole movement was an attempt to create political capital in favor of the governor of the state, who was and is very much interested in advancing the candidacy of Theodore Roosevelt. I do not criticize him for this if he believes the interests of the nation demand the re-election of Roosevelt but the attempt to secure political influence by means of an alleged investigation for which there never was any legal or moral justification is something that should not be sanctioned by the great state of California and which should be condemned by every citizen of this country."

"If there has been wanton brutality by vigilantes or others, why is it that no complaint has been made to the grand jury which has been in session for more than four months or to me personally?" Commissioner Weinstock is expected in San Diego tomorrow morning on the steamship Sonoma, which is returning with an excursion party from the Canal Zone.

represented in the procession, which wound its way through the streets of Fruitvale, marching and counter-marching and finding rest finally within the cool, spacious grounds of Mrs. Henry Wetherbee's home, at Fourteenth street and Fruitvale avenue. There, banners were awarded to the children who made the best showing, and games and contests were arranged to delight the youngsters and form the means for awarding still more prizes and making the day a success.

Refreshments, served from gaily decorated booths in the Wetherbee grounds, defrayed the expenses of the day and gave even a tidy surplus, so that everyone was happy.

LINE OF MARCH.

The children formed in line along the Boulevard and marched in along Fruitvale avenue between lines of interested spectators.

It was just about 11 o'clock when Grand Marshal W. C. Graulund led the way, followed by the boys of the Fruitvale Christian Sunday school, bearing the legend, "One Lord, One Faith and One Baptism." Right behind came twenty little girls in white, with roses in their hair and wearing white ribbons, and a pole and motto, which identified them as the "Sunshine Class."

The Boys' Band of the Lockwood school, sounding a stirring martial air, preceded the Sunday school classes of the Fruitvale Christian church, which had one of the largest representations. Katherine Dean, a pink little girl with pink flowers in her hair and wearing a little cart covered with pink geraniums, was drawn comfortably by four little boys in white, who seemed to be thoroughly enjoying themselves. Next came the Loyal Daughters' Union, a group of girls dressed in white and bearing a Maypole banner.

"The Loyal Sons' Winners" followed.

DOG IS DEVOUT.

One of the amusing features of the parade was an earnest little dog trotting along, drawing a decorated cart bearing two little girls. The dog wore a coat, which said: "I wonder if they'll count me." If sober attention to business availed, they surely should.

"Not too old for the Sunday School" was the proclamation on the side of an automobile that contained a party of men and women of advanced years, who were headed by M. W. Dixon, holding aloft the Star-Spangled Banner.

The St. James Sunday school was headed by a drum corps and followed with a toy aeroplane and a "pin-wheel brigade" of youngsters who held their hands outstretched ahead of them and watched gravely the revolving bits of gauzy paper.

"We are Soldiers of Christ" and "We Love Jesus."

Basketball hats covered with roses were carried in the most approved fashion by the Fruitvale Presbyterian Sunday school, who preceded a float representing the Salvation Life Boat, filled with little boys and girls garbed as sailors. Miss Welch's class followed with flags, on which was the emblem of the cross.

'BABY DOLL BRIGADE.'

The real "baby-doll" was in evidence when the tiniest of little girls trudged by, showing ahead of them scores of toy perambulators, in each of which their favorite dolls reposed. Toy autos and Teddy Bears were also in line, and, in fact, every child seemed to have brought along her favorite plaything. They were all accorded a place.

There were many unique ideas represented in the floats. The Boy's League of the Fruitvale Congregational church carried with them a square enclosure of bunting, representing the "Four-Sided Boy," which is their aim to develop.

GIRLS' CHOIR SINGS.

Their fresh young voices ringing out



Scenes at the Pageant of the Fruitvale district Sunday schools this morning, in which fully 1500 happy children participated.

clear and true, the Girls' Choir of the Fruitvale Congregational church sang the old familiar church hymns as they rode by dressed in surples and seated in a decorated vehicle. The girls were Gladys Hudson, Dorothy Barnard, Katherine Dingley, Margaret McDermott, Barbara Muller, Gertrude Mond, Florence Welben, Lucy Chapin and Irma Locke. They attracted a great deal of favorable comment.

The Fruitvale Baptist and the Fitchburg Baptist classes were congregated about flag poles and each youngster held a colored streamer and bore a legend. The seniors and juniors of the Methodist Episcopal church of Melrose wore the class colors of yellow and blue while the "beginners" rode in all the glory of a sure enough express wagon.

BEAR GILT SHIELDS.

The children of the Melrose Baptist Sunday School carried on their arms gilt shields with the motto "Truth is Our Shield." "The Circle of Sunshine" resolved itself into a score of tiny girls and a ring of roses. The TRIBUNE drum corps and six May poles were in this representation. The High Street Presbyterian classes and the Bethany church float followed with "Congress of Nations," the Agate class of young men and a really excellent float, typifying the "Rock of Ages," with the hymn being sung by a girl in white.

The procession was reviewed by Rev. Levi Gregory, member of the state executive committee and county president. Rev. Frank Rhoda was chairman of the committee in charge. He was assisted by W. C. Graulund, G. L. Adams, F. E. Washburn, F. McDermott and F. Morse. Morse was chairman of the committee in charge of the athletic features.

The following schools are represented: Fitchburg Baptist, Fitchburg Congregational, Melrose Methodist, Seaside, mission, Melrose Baptist and the High Street Presbyterian, Allendale Baptist, Allendale Methodist, St. James Presbyterian, Fruitvale Presbyterian, Fruitvale Methodist, St. Philip's Episcopal, Christian Congregation and Ward Memorial schools.

Yukon River Now Open As Far as Iditarod Landing

SEATTLE, May 18.—The Yukon river is now open to navigation from Lake Labarge, Y. T., to Iditarod landing, Alaska. The Videtta, the first steamboat from Lake Labarge, arrived at Dawson, Y. T., yesterday, and others are on route. The water in the upper river is unusually low and several vessels are finding it difficult to proceed. The steamboat Delta struck a rock at Thirty Mile river and is stranded until the river rises and floats her. The steamboat Evelyn is also waiting there.

Gets \$20,000 Painting In Junk Shop for \$100

MONROVIA, Cal., May 18.—Drawn by idle curiosity to a junk shop auction in Los Angeles recently, Dr. F. M. Potenger of Monrovia, it was stated today, purchased for \$100 a painting which pleased his fancy and which later was pronounced by connoisseurs a Verboeckhoven masterpiece worth at least \$20,000. Judges

of art works declared the painting, a dairy scene, was undoubtedly from the brush of the famous Belgian artist, who died thirty years ago. They agreed that the painting was probably fifty years old, one going so far as to declare he had seen it sold in Paris a few years ago for several thousand francs.

Gunboat Bennington Now Molasses Tank

Ill-Fated Vessel Being Overhauled Preparatory to Final Degradation.

The old gunboat Bennington, which blew up in San Diego harbor several years ago, killing seventeen men and maiming a score of others, is doomed to pass the remainder of its days as a molasses tank for the Matson Steam Navigation Company. The ill-fated vessel, once the pride of the coast navy, is at the Union Iron Works, being overhauled preparatory to its final degradation.

Torch Applied to Antiquated Vessel

Copper-Bottomed Hulk of Bark Agate Burned to the Water's Edge.

The torch was applied this morning to the copper-bottomed hulk of the bark Agate, which once was one of the fastest craft in coastal waters, but which, like many another ship, has outlived its usefulness. The Agate sank recently in the estuary channel and was raised by the government engineers and sold to junk dealers. She was burned to the water's edge this morning by M. A. Taylor.

SUNDAY SPORT DENOUNCED BY CHURCH

Presbyterian Assembly Is Told That Sabbath Breaking Is Crime.

Spotlight Turned on Washington, Golf Players and Newspapers.

LOUISVILLE, May 18.—"One hundred thousand caddies are kept from Sunday school by golf," according to the report prepared by the committee on Sabbath observance for presentation to the 124th general assembly of the Northern Presbyterian Church today.

"Sunday sports blight character," continues the report. "Nine-tenths of those who enter prison started that way by Sabbath breaking, largely due to Sunday sports."

Recommendations of the committee, of which James Yearance of New York is chairman, provided that the assembly reiterate "its strong and emphatic disapproval of all secular uses of the Sabbath, all games and sports, in civil life as also in the army and navy, all unnecessary traveling and all excursions, and urge upon employers of labor and captains of industry to recognize the laboring man's needs of his weekly rest day and thereby insure his greater efficiency and happiness and the greater prosperity of both capital and labor."

The committee turns the spotlight on Washington, severely scoring the capital for "continued and increasing laxity in Sabbath observance." The Sunday newspaper is condemned.

ALLOWED SHEEP TO STARVE; FINED

Wealthy Newark Stockmen Pay Penalty for Cruelty to Animals.

Because they let a large number of sheep starve to death in a corral, J. H. Brockman, together with his son and partner, wealthy stockmen of Newark, were fined \$150 each by Justice of the Peace T. S. Ford at Newark yesterday. Prosecution was made by Deputy District Attorney W. B. Smith under the state law which makes it a crime to allow animals to go for more than ten consecutive hours without feed.

Complaint had been made on several occasions that about 800 sheep which the Brockmans had in a corral were not obtaining regular food and an investigation was made by Dr. Osborne of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals on the result that the stockmen were summoned into court to explain their side of the case.

Dr. Osborne testified that at one time nearly twenty sheep had to be killed because they were so weak that they could not stand on their feet and that later lambs died because their mothers had starved.

Deputy District Attorney Smith stated that at another time he had personally investigated and had the sheep taken from the corral and that the sheep had stampeded over one another to get the food.

Brockman told the court that he had ordered hay, but that the railroad company had not made delivery. Another witness said that the stockmen had negotiated with him for pasture for the sheep, but that they had refused his price of 15-1-3 cents per month per head as being too high. The defendants paid their fines, which amounted to \$450.

'No Man's' Residents Would Know Location

Appeal to the Governor to Tell Them County in Which They Live.

SAN BERNARDINO, May 18.—Denied the right to vote because of a dispute as to whether they lived in San Bernardino or Riverside county, residents of a section known as "No Man's Country" announced today that they were preparing to appeal to Governor Johnson for a geographical decision settling the matter.

"No Man's Country" is a stretch of territory about sixty miles wide upon the boundary line of the two counties. It has never been surveyed and until about two years ago was inhabited almost exclusively by rabbits and rattlesnakes. Now a considerable number of people have taken up their residence about Byrne Junction.

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BERKELEY AND ALAMEDA Gossip of Students and Residents in University Town Social and Personal Happenings of Day in the Island City

BUSINESS LICENSE TAXS DISCUSSED

Alameda City Council Plans to Do Away With It After Present Year.

ALAMEDA, May 18.—A delegation of the directors of the Alameda Chamber of Commerce appeared before the city council in committee session last night with a request that the business license tax heretofore in effect, be abolished. Members of the delegation stated that the tax was discriminatory in its application and unfair to all. It was pointed out that, while many cities and towns impose the tax, the more prosperous communities have either abolished it or have never considered such a levy.

Mayor W. H. Now declared that he was opposed to the tax, but that inasmuch as the tax was levied in the budget for the current year, and could not now be done away with without causing a deficit, he thought the tax should be collected this year and abolished hereafter.

This action to be the sense of the council and on motion of Councilman Walker the matter was put aside, to be referred to the finance committee next year. Former Councilman Magness, who is a director of the chamber of commerce, stated that this arrangement gave no guarantee that the license would be abolished, but on the expression of F. N. Delaney that the plan was satisfactory, it carried as proposed.

A. A. Bangs, who conducts a dairy on the north side, and who was to have removed his cows this month, was before the council with the explanation that he was unable to find a convenient place for the animals. Bangs protested against being taxed for the privilege of moving from the city. He stated that he maintains a place against which no complaint can justly be made, and that he is operating within the law. He requires a certain number of square yards of territory for each cow. Bangs stated that he has more than an acre apiece on which to pasture them. On motion the matter was laid over for two weeks to be taken up again in committee session.

An application of John Matthews, engineer of the Chestnut street steamship, that he be permitted to add to the \$1000, to be provided for out of the city budget, was also put over for action.

Police and Fire Commissioner Al Latham applied to the board for permission to purchase for \$500 a tract for the city to be used as a site for a new fire station. Latham stated that H. P. Nielson, a local machinist and automobile man, will enter into contract with the city to construct a tractor for the sum of \$800 and will guarantee the machine for three years. The tractor would cost \$600, and there would be no guarantee attaching.

City Clerk Browning stated to the board that under the charter an appropriation of more than \$500 cannot legally be made without advertising for bids. He made without advertising for bids, there would be no law than that of Nielson, the whole matter was referred to the finance committee. The board, by which the machine could be purchased. Complaint having been made against Nielson, the board decided to have the machine built by the city. The board decided to have the machine built by the city. The board decided to have the machine built by the city.

Frederick W. Knepper, representing property owners along the south side of Webster street, appeared in the city council at the corner of Webster street. Knepper stated that Attorney Knepper, representing the city, had been asked to represent the city in the matter of the Webster street sewer. Knepper stated that the city was not authorized to represent the city in the matter of the Webster street sewer. Knepper stated that the city was not authorized to represent the city in the matter of the Webster street sewer.

City Clerk Browning reported that he had received no answer to a dredger company operating on the marsh, and relative to the construction of proper sluices to improve the marsh. The dredger company was instructed to communicate with the city engineer. The dredger company was instructed to communicate with the city engineer.

STUDENTS ACT PANTOMIME



MEMBERS OF THE CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF ARTS AND CRAFTS WHO TOOK PART IN THE HUMOROUS SYMBOLICAL PANTOMIME, "THE WAY OF THE CREATOR," PRODUCED LAST NIGHT. THE PRODUCTION WAS A GREAT SUCCESS AND REFLECTED THE UT MOST CREDIT ON THE AUTHORS AND THOSE WHO INTERPRETED THE WORDLESS DRAMA.

ARMY MEN AND WOMEN MOURN

Lookout Mountain Post and Corps Honor Departed Members.

BERKELEY, May 18.—Memorial service for their departed dead was held last evening by Lookout Mountain Post of the Grand Army and Lookout Mountain Corps. The former has lost five members and the latter three during the year, and for each a vacant chair was decorated with wreaths and flowers at last evening's service.

Yon numbers were given by General H. O'Brien, Mrs. Carrie Miller, Mrs. Susan Lepper, Mrs. Katherine Condy and Harriet Miller. Eulogies were spoken by Albin Nielsen, John Clough, Thomas Gilbert, Emily Nichols, Commander Darling and Laura B. Nielsen. Commemorated by President George Hodgman at those of the corps. Stella Idings presided at the plans. Mrs. Leah Beck presented "My Little Boy."

The deceased members of the corps for whom the memorial was held were Mrs. Rachel Sampson, Mrs. Hannah Gould and Mrs. Florence Moore. The post's dead were Charles H. Burr, J. Schooner, Friend Johnson, John H. Boyd and Henry A. Brown.

Following the exercises Mary E. Wyman, patriotic instructor for the corps, conducted a brief program for Mothers Day and Peace Day.

\$80,000 SCHOOL WILL BE BUILT AT HAYWARD

HAYWARD, May 18.—Members of the board of high school trustees have decided on plans for the new \$80,000 school and on plans for the new \$80,000 school and on plans for the new \$80,000 school.

"Way of Creator" Is Given Before Large Audience

BERKELEY, May 18.—Written and acted by students of the school, "The Way of the Creator," a humorous symbolical pantomime in three acts was played in the assembly hall of the California School of Arts and Crafts last evening. The pantomime was given before an audience that taxed the capacity of the hall and made one of the great nights of any student affair yet given at the school.

The pantomime was written by Miss Gene Baker, Miss Jessie Helman, Miss Dorothy Mess, Miss Stella Naab, Miss Lucy Pierce and Miss Charlotte Schmelzer and Harold von Schmidt. Miss Lucy Walker acted as stage director and Miss Jeanne Booth as musical director.

According to the writers, the piece was a superb example of the new wordless drama, which expresses an idea through extremely subtle nuances of gesture and rhythmic movement. The first act disclosed the escape from his parental ranch of Velasquez Jones, the second his wonderful escape from Peary Grey and lastly his escape from the clutches of the law.

Y. M. C. A. CLUB PLANS CONCERT

Recital to Be Complimentary to Association Members and Friends.

BERKELEY, May 18.—The male cleft of the Berkeley Y. M. C. A. is planning a complimentary concert for Tuesday evening. The organization has concluded a series of successful recitals and will give this one free to members and friends. The soloists will be Mrs. J. S. Mills, contralto; Theodore Yohner-Borghese, violinist; Miss Mary Sherwood, violoncellist, and Lowell Redfield, baritone. An attractive program of songs and instrumental music will be given.

BERKELEY PIONEER IS SUMMONED BY DEATH

BERKELEY, May 18.—Mark T. Ashby, a pioneer resident of this city, died last evening at his home on College avenue after an illness due to old age. He had resided in this city for 27 years and in the State for 50 years, ranching in the Sacramento Valley before coming to Berkeley in 1875.

ARRANGE FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Program Committee of G. A. R. and Other Organizations to Report.

BERKELEY, May 18.—Arrangements for the appropriate observance of Memorial Day by the general committee of the Grand Army and affiliated organizations of Alameda county are about complete. The program will be announced by the committee next week.

Arrangements have been made for excellent musical and oratorical talent to participate in the exercises both at Mountain View and Evergreen cemeteries. The following committee is in charge of the program:

H. A. Longfellow, Sons of Veterans; E. Higham, Adjutant Appomattox Post, G. A. R.; Mrs. Alice Cookson, Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. Irene Woodman, Lyon W. R. C.; Mrs. George Hodgman, Lookout Mountain Post, G. A. R.; T. R. Stetson, Spanish War Veterans.

COURT HAS FLING AT 'REFORMERS'

San Francisco, May 18.—Condemning the "independent and spectacular methods of reformers," Superior Judge Dunne commented upon the efforts of certain people in behalf of criminals in the Superior Court here today. Probation Officer Nichol was reporting on charges in his care when the matter came up. One of the probationers had left the state without the permission of the court and Nichol suggested that if he had the money he would send photographs and requests for the arrest of the accused over the country.

SENT TO REFORMATORY.

San Francisco, May 18.—Thirteen men were sent to Preston Reformatory School by Superior Judge Lawlor this morning until he becomes of age. On February 19 Harris broke into the Haas Wood and Iron Works and was arrested for burglary.

PLEASANTON HAS RACING MATINEE

Third Event Under Auspices of Chamber of Commerce Is Held.

PLEASANTON, May 18.—The third matinee of racing under the auspices of the local chamber of commerce took place here this afternoon, starting at 1:30 with a band concert. Following was the program of events:

2:15 Pace (cup presented by Rock)—Vell A. (Asa McDaniel), Hy Brant (S. S. Bailey), Carmen McCann (Chas. DeRyder), Jerry D. (Al Schwanth), Dawn of Light (W. T. McBride).

2:25 Pace (cup presented by James Gill)—Oakwood (S. Face, Al Schwartz), Searching (Lee Wells), Tilden Pointer (C. DeRyder), Hal (H. E. Armstrong), Diabolo (H. G. Smith), Dielo (Chas. James).

Free-for-all trot (cup presented by Lehman)—Brutus (S. Christensen), Bodeker (Thos. Roman), Orlan (C. DeRyder), Hazel Patch (C. DeRyder), Tell Tale (C. DeRyder), Borona D. (H. Dunlap).

2:35 trot (cup presented by T. D. Sexton)—Rosaline (Z. T. Strickland), (Chas. Whitehead), S. Strickland (N. Bunch), Camilla (H. Brown), Leslie M. (Mr. Bates), Bonnie Derby (Chas. DeRyder).

ALAMEDA PERSONALS

ALAMEDA, May 18.—Mrs. Herbert D. Clark will give a bridge party on next Friday in honor of Mrs. Robert Thibault, who is here from the east with Lieutenant Theobald. On Thursday Mrs. George Laird will honor the eastern visitors.

Charles Gibbs has asked thirty of the younger set to be his guests at a dance this evening at his home on Park street. His mother, Mrs. Charles Gibbs Sr., will assist the host in receiving.

Dr. and Mrs. Stafford entertained at a dance Tuesday evening in compliance to Dr. and Mrs. Henry Pond and Miss Mary Pond. Dr. and Mrs. Pond and their daughter will leave this morning for an eastern trip to be gone several months.

TOWN TRUSTEE IS OBJECT OF ATTACK

Fred Schmidt of San Leandro Accused of Usurping Office.

SAN LEANDRO, May 18.—In an election contest filed by former Trustee L. J. Toffelmier with the board of city trustees yesterday afternoon, Fred Schmidt, a member of the board, is charged with being "guilty of usurping and unlawfully holding office as a member of the board of city trustees." Toffelmier was defeated by a few votes.

In the complaint, which was filed by Attorney Harris P. Jones and W. J. Locke, representing Toffelmier, it is claimed that the election officers erroneously and illegally counted votes for Schmidt to which he was not entitled, and failed and neglected to count votes for Toffelmier.

The document also states that on April 15 a canvass of the votes took place, in which the trustees illegally declared that Schmidt had received 458 votes and Toffelmier 453 votes. The petition demands judgment that Schmidt be adjudged unlawful in retaining the office and that he be excluded from that privilege and Toffelmier be entitled to hold and exercise the office.

In addition to demanding a recount Toffelmier, who is backed by the Good Government Club of San Leandro, asks in the complaint that ballots were thrown out at the election by the officials because, in placing crosses opposite the names of the candidates and in folding the ballots, imprints of the crosses were left opposite the names of other candidates.

It is alleged that certain election officials took advantage of this opportunity to throw out some eighteen or twenty ballots which Schmidt have been rightfully accredited to Toffelmier.

The matter will be considered by the board at the next meeting.

WOMAN MUST ANSWER IN SUPERIOR COURT

BERKELEY, May 18.—Mrs. Ida Bell Turner, the negro, accused of three recent burglaries in this city, appeared in Judge Edgar's court this morning for her preliminary examination. At its conclusion she was committed to the superior court and her bail fixed at \$2000.

Warrane Howe was arraigned this morning on the charge of uttering false checks. His preliminary examination was set for Tuesday. William Gilmore, charged with loading telephone boxes, will have his preliminary hearing Monday.

GIRLS' TRAINING HOME WILL HAVE SOCIAL

BERKELEY, May 18.—A party will be given at the California Girls' Training Home this evening at the home of 150 Lincoln avenue. A program of vocal and instrumental solos will precede the dance and supper. The evening is a second of the program will include songs, dramatic readings and folk and fancy dancing.

PUPILS TO GIVE CANTATA.

BERKELEY, May 18.—Pupils of the Berkeley school of music and dramatic art will present a cantata, "Welcome Spring," in the auditorium of the school building on Wednesday evening. A second part of the program will include songs, dramatic readings and folk and fancy dancing.

SAN DIEGOAN ROBBED.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Joseph Foster of San Diego was robbed by pickpockets on a Union street car last night, losing a purse containing \$180.

BURGLARS GET JEWELRY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Mrs. T. Gentry, 1388 McAllister street, reports the theft of jewelry to the amount of \$130 by burglars. Entrance was gained through a rear window.

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	Colo Southern		42%	42%
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	Do 2d pfd	100	100	100
100	Corn Products	143%	143%	142%
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